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Kenny Assist In Polio Care For Riv. Co.

Mrs. Zaddie Bunker Representing Village In Countywide Plans

Patients from Riverside with poliomyelitis are to receive additional assistance from the Sister Elizabeth Kenny foundation, it was revealed in a meeting at Riverside this week by Walter V. Pittman, chairman of the Riverside county committee of the foundation, attended by Village Chairman Zaddie Bunker. Pittman stated that \$350,000 contributions to the Kenny foundation is now available to supplement other polio funds.

There is no conflict between the March of Dimes, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and the Kenny foundation, he pointed out. The March of Dimes is doing a wonderful work in paying for the treatment of poliomyelitis patients who would otherwise be unable to pay for hospitalization and medical care.

The Kenny Foundation serves to maintain the quality of care given poliomyelitis patients to standards set by the Kenny foundation and leaders in the field of orthopedic surgery. Since May of 1949, the national headquarters of the foundation has been paying the salary of a full time technician treating patients at the Riverside County hospital.

She is Mrs. Ida M. Kay, one of the first six technicians trained by Sister Kenny in Minneapolis, and who last year was chief Kenny technician at the Harbor General hospital in Los Angeles. Patients from Riverside county are extremely fortunate that Mrs. Kay is now here working in the polio wards at the hospital this year, Pittman said.

An executive board for the Riverside County Committee has been organized with Pittman as chairman, Mrs. Bunker as vice chairman, Miss Bette Bertschman as secretary.

This Side Of the Sun

By Phat

Chicago, Ill.

No verse to start this off today... I am on vacation... Can't see why you shouldn't have a rest, too... Nice trip across country with beautiful green blanket mantling everything... But don't think it's hot only in Palm Springs... at Phoenix a lot of phewing customers got on the train... They were chopping their summer stay in the mountains there short... 115 degrees and 60 percent humidity, so one man panted... Stuck my head outside to test his statement and got it wet... It was raining... Didn't see the sun from El Paso to Pratt, Kansas... Beautiful display of lightning... They've had plenty rain, water standing all around, fields and trees bright green.

DON'T GET ME WRONG, I love the desert, particularly on pay days, but the green country was a pleasant change... Like for instance, the trees and farms from Muscatine, Iowa, to Davenport along the Mississippi... It was beautiful... especially so when viewed from a diner window during a soul-satisfying breakfast served with tender care and loving hands under the personal supervision of a Mr. Duncan Hartz, FSP and Rock Island steward... Irv Schuman and his Chi Chi got a bit of unexpected publicity in the club car... The usual "got-a-match" guy sat next to me and I handed him one of the Chi Chi's match folders... He took one look and made arrangements to change his next winter's vacation from Palm Beach to Palm Springs.

LANDED IN THE HOTEL here as two conventions overlapped... Ladies' ready-to-wear session was just closing. That was quiet... just lots of women, all with opinions about clothes, dressed in pastel shades, flowery hats, and corsages or some sort of things pinned to their chests... Maybe those are fitches... Lovely women, too... that is, 87 per cent by estimate... As they left, the Illinois American Legion moved in... Started quietly enough with the Auxiliary... Sat in the lobby of the hotel in See THIS SIDE, Page 10

Ambulance Question Is Continued

As follow-up to the ambulance question before the board of supervisors this week the board was queried by Coachella valley PTA president Mrs. Kerby Hester.

Without any preliminaries she addressed Supervisor William Slape with the challenge, "What's the answer to the ambulance question?"

"God has been good to us the past week," she said, "We haven't had any accidents. The decision on the ambulance service is up to the supervisors."

She had introduced herself and immediately launched into a sharply worded, and pointed discussion on the halting of private ambulance operators' emergency service.

The operators have disputed the county supervisors' claim that they can operate county ambulances for 18 cents a mile.

Charles Couch, operator of the Riverside Ambulance Co., and spokesman for county firms, said if the county had its ambulances stationed out in the county in outlying towns, with eight-hour shifts for drivers on full time pay, the county's cost would be \$1.15 per mile, or more than what the county would be charged by private operators.

Although the state code specifically grants the county authority to contract with the operators for such work, Supervisor Slape insists, and his opinion has thus far prevailed, that such contracts would be "subsidizing" private business.

Operators in all parts of the county except Corona ceased making emergency runs, August 1st.

Sheriff Carl Rayburn appeared before the board last week to say that "law enforcement officers were squarely behind the eight-ball," since they are expected to call ambulances to the scene of highway accidents. He wanted the public to know that if ambulances failed to arrive, his office and officers were not at fault.

Pork Chop Supper At Boys Clubhouse Next Tues. Evening

A special treat is in store next Tuesday night at the Boys Club as a party is being staged for the youngsters of the Village, to be highlighted by a pork chop supper, according to Frank Partridge, director.

The pork chops, enough for approximately 100 youngsters, have been donated by Jerry Nathanson of Jerry's Market, while the bread is being supplied by Hatchitt's Market.

According to Partridge the feed is scheduled to commence at about 8:30 p. m., at the termination of the juniors softball game at The Field. He states he is trying to obtain a sponsor for salad or beans as a side dish—anyone interested is requested to contact him at his photo shop in Colborn Center.

Wayne Pelkey Taken by Death

Death occurred last Friday, Aug. 5, to Wayne Pelkey, 34, resident of Palm Springs for about one year. A mechanic by trade, Pelkey had worked in one of the local garages and at time of death had been caretaker at Trayway Inn. Death was said to have been caused from a heart ailment.

Arrangements were handled by Wiefels and Son, morticians, and the body was sent to Pelkey's former home, Kent, Wash., where he is survived by his parents and a six-year-old daughter.

City Leaders Fly to Capitol

City Attorney Roy Colegate and Councilman Florian Boyd left the Village Tuesday for the trip to Washington, D. C., as authorized by city council a week ago for the purpose of pushing through, if possible, the Indian bill last heard as having been held up by the senate. Return date of the two officers is not known but it is assumed by city officials that the two will wait until they know for sure that the bill has either been passed or held over until next session of congress.

Absent Ballots Total Completed By County Clerk

Final tabulations on the absentee ballots on the recent M-2 zoning election, as released by County Clerk Gordon Pequegnat showed a total of 735 votes cast with 552 voting no and 183 yes.

A breakdown was not made of the votes according to districts represented but it was pointed out that the majority came from the area surrounding the zone to be affected, the vicinity of Palm Springs.

With the addition of this score, it was pointed out, the totals for Palm Springs area would indicate a more than 2-1 vote against the ordinance since Palm Springs itself voted 646 no and 349 yes, Cathedral City 104 no and 89 yes and Garnet 139 no and 50 yes.

Police Report For July

Police report for the month of July as compiled by Police Chief August Kettmann shows a definite decrease in misdemeanor arrests from the same period the preceding year.

In 1948 there were 70 compared to only 26 this last July whereas felony complaints increased with five of the 12 complaints listed as being for bad checks.

A total of 291 complaints were investigated while other inquiries handled totaled 1234. Three accidents were recorded for the month with two being classified as "injury."

A total value of \$7347 in recovered property was recorded, and one psycho case was listed.

R. M. Trezevant Addresses Lions At Idyllwild

R. M. Trezevant, living in Idyllwild during the summer with Mrs. Trezevant at their home there, was speaker and chief in charge of presentation ceremonies at the Lions club of that region Monday night in the presenting of key pins to key members.

According to Trezevant there are many local Lions now attending the meetings of the mountain club during the summer.

Local Girl Loses Purse

Juanita Chaffee reported to police Wednesday night that she had lost a purse in a Banning cafe earlier that evening prior to driving to the Village. The purse was said to have contained \$480 in currency.

A checkup by the local department with the cafe mentioned failed to locate the purse.

Hawks Visits Sheptenko

Realtor Peter B. Sheptenko spent two days in Los Angeles earlier this week, bringing back as houseguest for a short time, Howard Hawks, motion picture pioneer. Hawks visited the Village to check progress on construction of his new home in Las Palmas Estates.

Soroptimist Meet

According to reports from the local Soroptimists, inactive during the summer except for unofficial meetings, plans are being made for the attendance of a Village delegation to the dedication of the Redwood Memorial Grove in Humboldt county next Sunday, Aug. 14, which expects representatives from the 100 clubs in the southwestern region.

Village Disaster Preparedness Plans Made at Meeting

A meeting of some of the Palm Springs Disaster Preparedness council heads was held yesterday at the city offices for the purpose of coordinating the two sub-departments, Transportation and Public Works divisions. Named to head the transportation group was Don Floan, while City Engineer George Minturn is in charge of public works. The meeting was under the direction of Executive Officer Robert W. Peterson and Personnel Director Ray Lusby.

Airport Head Asks County Keep System

To counteract Supervisor William Jones' contention of last week that the county's war surplus airport system cost the taxpayers more money than it is worth Attorney Eugene Best, Chairman of the County Airport Commission this week stated reasons why the system should be maintained.

County fire fighting agencies have come into well more than \$100,000 worth of fire trucks and equipment alone through the airport system. Best said, and if the value of all equipment the Civil Aeronautics Authority has made available to various county agencies through the airport were totaled up it would reach "two or three hundred thousand dollars."

THE AIRPORT commission administers air bases at Hemet, Thermal and Blythe which the federal government built for service training during the war and turned over to the county when the war ended.

"They are an expense now, but we anticipate they will bring in enough revenue to support themselves," Best said.

"We have an income of \$8000 to \$10,000 a year now through leases to private operators on the airports and we can increase that figure as time goes on."

The Airport commission's budget request for the 1949-50 fiscal year is \$44,070.

BEST SAID that the CAA had turned over to the county through the airport commission, 10 fire trucks worth \$10,000 more CAA fire units are earmarked for conversion to fire trucks.

Also the county has come into possession of 10,000 feet of fire hose, valued at \$10,000; approximately 100 fire extinguishers which would cost about \$5000 plus miscellaneous fire fighting equipment such as pumping units, high pressure trailers and fire coats and trousers, he said.

THAT CONSTITUTES about half the fire fighting equipment the county has.

The County Road department and other agencies are making use of CAA road equipment, jeeps, cranes and earth-moving equipment.

"If anything should happen to the airport system, the county would lose all that equipment. It would all go back to the government and taxpayers' money would have to be used to replace it," he said.

Jaycees Delegated Baseball Boosters

At the chamber of commerce board of directors meeting last week it was suggested by Vice President George E. Clarke, acting president, that the junior chamber be delegated to act as the booster group for the baseball program scheduled for the city with the completion of The Field for major league training.

The board approved the idea and the Jaycees were notified of the decision. Ted McKinney, president of the Jaycees, stated they have no definite plans as yet in the program as official Baseball Boosters but the idea will be taken up at the next general meeting of the organization on ways and means.

August in Palm Springs Is Opportunity Month

The slackening of real estate sales and subsequent reduction in prices on homes has developed some excellent values, according to reports from Palm Springs' realtors.

Indications are, however, that there will soon be a general strengthening of the market, and prices will be on the increase. That's why the next few weeks seems to be the best time to buy a home here. Dealers point to some exceptionally good buys.

YOU'LL FIND MANY OF THEM LISTED IN THE REAL ESTATE CLASSIFICATION IN TODAY'S CLASSIFIED PAGE OF THE DESERT SUN—THE LEADING REAL ESTATE ADVERTISING MEDIUM IN THE PALM SPRINGS AREA.

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Weather You Like It Or Not Village Has Great Climate

One glance at the boxed portion of the upper left hand portion of this page will show the bare facts for the past week's weather performances.

What it does not show is the attitude of Villagers at what is said to be the most exceptionally good August weather in many years. With the days bringing balmy reminiscences of "perfect October and November weather," the nights, too, have required all coolers to stay idle and have necessitated the use of blankets for comfortable sleeping. At one

formal dinner Wednesday evening a fire was blazing in the fireplace.

In the words of one Villager, "Did you ever see such beautiful weather any time, anywhere?"

How long it will last no one is hazarding, but the populace is content in the fact that the premiere desert resort of the nation had, on one day, cooler weather than New York City.

Plus the lack of clammy humidity.

As another Villager remarked: "It's a great life—but it's greater if you live in Palm Springs."

Col. Ellsworth Pushes Idea For Air School

Consideration of Coachella Valley's "splendid climate, terrain and sea shores" for a proposed Air Forces Academy was asked this week by Col. R. A. Ellsworth, USA Ret., Palm Village, and a graduate of the Westpoint Military Academy himself.

The proposal was to come before a House of Representatives committee for hearing in the next few days.

Ellsworth directed his recommendation to the Department of the Air Force, Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, chief of staff.

He said his recommendation pointed out that there was sufficient "cheap Indian and government land available on the west side of the sea, adjoining the Atomic Energy Commission's testing station," and that it was his personal observation that it would be highly suitable because of its climate for all-year flying, because of the dual ability to use land and sea planes, and because it provided ample flying space.

He said he forwarded a map of the area to the chief of staff. Both Imperial and Coachella Valley should "do something about boosting this area for such an academy," he said.

JAMES PARKER WINS WATERMELON FEED AT BOYS CLUB

At the Boys Club watermelon feed last Thursday evening sweepstakes prize for eating the most watermelon went to James Parker, according to Frank Partridge, director.

Six hundred pounds of watermelon were consumed by the contestants. A total of 84 boys and 13 adults were present and, according to Partridge, young Parker, after winning honors in the department of watermelon capacity, then stood in line for his share for the feed itself.

The next affair is next Tuesday night, a pork chop fry, as "economy program."

SGT. JIM MAYNARD SET FOR RADIO DEBUT

To be featured in two weeks, Sunday, Aug. 28, Jim Maynard, sergeant on the local police force, will appear on the Columbia Broadcasting System show, Call the Police.

As guest of the famous show, Sgt. Maynard will discuss the circumstances of his apprehending of a wild, rabid wildcat in 1947. The national broadcast is at 4:30-5 p. m. and will appear on the local station, KCMJ.

Legion Goes To Convention At Long Beach

Set for one of the largest state American Legion conventions ever to be held in California next Sunday through Tuesday, local Post 519 will send a large delegation to Long Beach, convention city.

Accompanying the Legionnaires will be official delegates of the Auxiliary and of Coachella Valley 40 at 8, each of which will conduct its own program at the beach city.

Headed by Commander Hilton McCabe a large list of official delegates plan to attend, under the direction of Past Commander Jay Morrison, in charge of the delegates. Others on the official delegation are Joe Omlin, Raymond Hiller, Bill Davis, John Connell, Warren Slaughter, Ted McKinney and Charles St. George, the latter who is in charge of the 40 at 8 delegates.

Alternates named who also plan to attend are Ray Lusby, Homer Jenkins, George Kreimer, Robert Ellsworth, Harold Roach and Dr. Harry J. Powers.

Roy Rogers Asked To Head Parade Western Week

Palm Springs chamber of commerce is attempting to get the headline of cowboys for the Western Week program this year, according to present plans, as negotiations are already under way to obtain Roy Rogers to lead the parade as well as be present at a premiere of his latest picture during that time.

Los Compadres, the horsemen's group sponsoring the annual event, has officially designated Oct. 27-30 as Western Week this year. Bob Bennett is general chairman of the program.

Pegi Scot Robbed Of Adding Machine

The office of Pegi Scot, Village telephone and stenography service, was found by police to have been forcibly entered yesterday morning shortly after 4 o'clock and missing was one Remington adding machine.

Greenfields to New York

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greenfield and son left the Village this week for a month's vacation to New York on business and pleasure. The family plans to take a leisurely jaunt across country by auto.

The PUBLISHER'S Corner

RETURNING FROM VACATIONS and planning the opening of their stores and shops in September, many business men are back in the Village this week. All seem to be optimistic about business for the fall and winter season. If blessed with good weather of the normal variety Palm Springs will have a flourishing season in the opinion of those with whom we talked this week. Realtors are looking forward to renewed activity in the early fall and a general strengthening of prices. The chamber of commerce says we will have the most active program of events in years to keep visitors and winter residents entertained. The municipal improvement program now under way will make the community more attractive and greatly improve recreational facilities. Prospects for start of the tramway project within the next few months look good. These and other favorable trends lead our business men to believe that the Palm Springs recreational area will have a very good 1949-50 season.

WHILE GREATLY APPRECIATED, much sympathy has been wasted on Villagers who are spending the summer in Palm Springs. Post cards and letters from vacationists so often express sympathy for us poor souls who have to stay here in this heat. We do have our hot spells when it gets up to around 115 for a few days—but even those are not as bad as the present eastern hot spell. Dwellers here during the summer months rarely suffer with the heat—in fact they thrive on it—and would rather be right here than most any place else. Climate-wise, at least. Right now we are having about the most perfect weather of any locality in the country. So... don't feel sorry for summer residents of Palm Springs; they have no complaints and are doing very well, thank you!

COULD BE WORSE... We note in the news that the federal government received only \$635,000 for the Lido Beach Hotel (Long Island) for which the Navy paid \$1,300,000. Aside from the political aspects now under investigation, that's a better situation than exists with respect to El Mirador hotel here in Palm Springs. We don't recall how much the government has invested in this property on which money is still being spent for upkeep while the building depreciates month by month. Reputed to be worth about a million dollars a couple of years ago, the hotel probably will not bring much more than half that much today. And all the while it is serving no useful purpose and Palm Springs is being deprived of this high class hostelry which once brought fame and fortune to the community.

Decontrol Voted In Riverside City

The city council of Riverside unanimously voted Tuesday to decontrol rents in that area.

If Governor Earl Warren approves the council's resolution, which is expected shortly, final approval from Washington by the federal rent authorities is expected to follow.

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Phony Twenties Flood Southland

According to word from Los Angeles, Fred C. Wasson, chief secret service agent for that area, states that a flood of phony \$20 bills are swamping southern California and residents and merchants of the Village are requested to be on the lookout for the simulated currency.

Wasson said all the bills have a large green serial number—H-95621073C. They also bear the designation C-43 in the lower right corner. The bills are labeled Federal Reserve notes and carry a portrait of Jackson.

Villagers are requested to report any of the fake twenties that come to their attention to the local police department.

Druggist in Suit On Slander Charge

Stories that he supplied wine to a Cathedral City alcoholic damaged him \$150,000 worth, Hart L. Kopp, druggist, charged in a slander suit on file in Superior court in Riverside last week.

Named as defendants are two other Cathedral City residents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Linkletter. The druggist accused them in his complaint of having spread throughout the town a report that he furnished wine to the alcoholic because he didn't want the latter "to succeed in business."

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FRI.-SAT. AUG. 12-13

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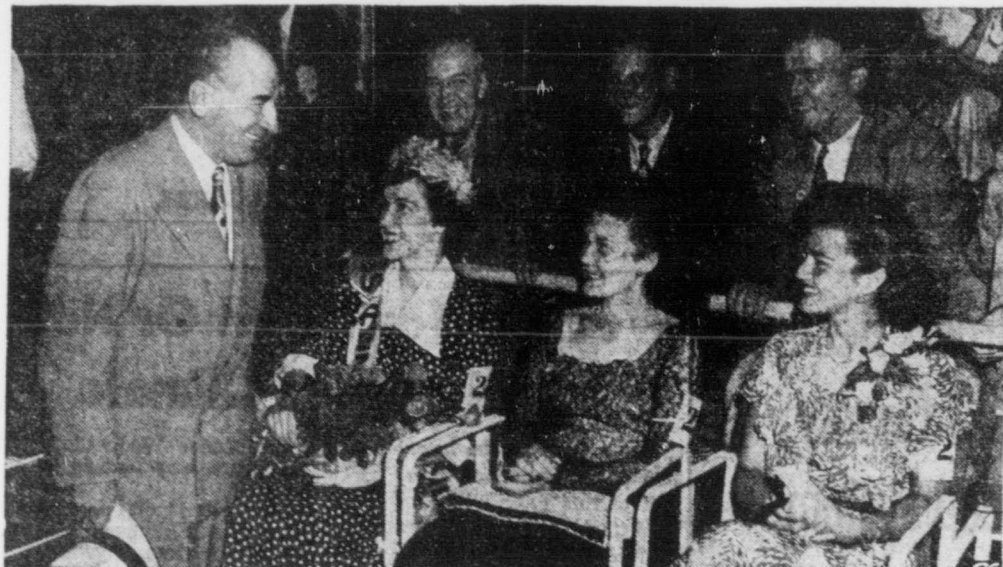
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Dan Dailey • Ann Baxter
"You're My Everything"
Ronald Reagan
Eddie Bracken
"The Girl From Jones Beach"

WED.-THURS. AUG. 17-18
"Lost Patrol and Gunga Din"

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Railroad Fair Welcomes Illinois Central Beauties



CHICAGO—Major Lenox R. Lohr, president of the Chicago Railroad Fair, welcomes in his box at the pageant, "Wheels a-Rolling," Carol Bosworth (left), who has been selected "Miss Illinois Central" for 1949. With the Illinois Central queen are (left to right) Sara Krumi and Marcia Mertes, third and second place winners, respectively, in the beauty contest staged at the Railroad Fair on "Illinois Central Day."

I Rise to Remark

By CONGRESSMAN JOHN PHILLIPS

Here are a few odds and ends to keep your blood pressure up, while I get ready to see if American bureaucracy operates the same abroad as it does here.

In spite of the falling income of the nation, the government payroll has been increasing since January by about 300 people a day. Senator Byrd points this out patiently each month.

The budget for the current fiscal year (slightly "estimated" as the Senate has not sent back our last four appropriations bills) will be \$41.5 billions. I estimate the expenditures for the same year as \$42.1 billions. This last figure is the one to watch. It is hard to reckon, and the Appropriations Committee minority has to keep an accountant working on figures like this all the time. The INCOME for the same period cannot be over \$38 billion. We always add to the budget between January and July, so allowing a 5% estimate for that, you can figure that, on July 1st 1950, we will have spent \$6 billion more of your money than we took from you in taxes.

This does not include arming Europe, nor any of the President's socialization programs, which could double that deficit. Remember, when you talk about FREE services from Washington, the only person you are fooling is yourself. We have no source of money, down here, except your pocketbook. Government is not a producer of wealth. It is only a spender of your money, and every time we spend your money for you we take off a service charge. I rise to remark that the service charge is so high that a private business couldn't charge it and keep going. You wouldn't buy there. So why buy from Washington? You simply add to the bureau-

cratic cancer that is slowly eating out the vital organs of representative government. In 1900, one person out of 24 was on a government payroll; today 1 out of every 8 is paid by the taxpayers, and even some of his own pay is taken back to pay other government employees.

When a prominent California executive came down to Washington, in the Department of Agriculture, his impulsive statement was that the department would operate more efficiently if he could fire 25% off the payroll. The accuracy of his percentage could be argued, but not the fact that there are more people than good business methods require, or than private business could afford for the same jobs.

Employment in government increases 5 times as fast as in private business. There are 6,700,000 full-time employees, about half of whom are employed by state and local governments, the rest by the Federal government, but all of them are paid out of the same pocket—yours—the only source there is for government money. If you can't take the vacation you planned this summer, comfort yourselves that you have made jobs possible on the government payroll in Washington, nice jobs, good hours, fair pay, vacations, sick leave, retirement, "security," no feeling of responsibility for the financial condition of the business, and not very hard work. The ultimate result will be bankruptcy, as in other countries, just as soon as they have spent our money as well as theirs, for the same "security" which ruined the Roman Empire is now ruining England, and will ruin us, if we let it.

Coming back to the Department of Agriculture (which is our home department, for all farm representatives, the one to which we are the closest, and the most sympathetic) we still must face the fact that only 20 years ago, that department had a budget of \$22,800,000 and 22,000 employees. Today Congress is giving it \$739,379,559 in the current budget, and it has 82,000 employees.

Mighty Joe Young At Village Theatre

One of the most hair-raising, yet puckish characters ever to grace the screen of the local cinema will appear at the Village theatre next Monday and Tuesday evening as Mighty Joe Young puts in his gigantic appearance.

As the story goes, Joe was reared on an African farm by a little girl from puny babyhood to his full stature as an immense oversize gorilla. By the time the girl was 18 years of age the gorilla was a peaceful and tractable monster.

It's when they go to New York that all the fun begins. Joe does about everything from holding a nightclub platform aloft while a pianist performs on stage, to saving children from an orphanage fire.

One of the highlights is a tug-of-war between Joe and the 10 "strongest men" of America. These are the noted wrestlers Man Mountain Dean, the Iron Man Ian Batchelor, the Swedish Angel Phil Olafsson, Bomber Kulkevich, Kark Davis, Primo Carenra, Wee Willie Davis, Ivan Rasputin, Sammy Stein and Sammy Menacker.

The picture features Terry Moore, Ben Johnson, Robert Armstrong and Frank McHugh.

Snakebite Victim Leaves Hospital

Mrs. Ida Skare, introduced to the Community hospital two weeks ago after having received three bites from "the largest rattler" ever to grace Yucca Valley, according to report, was released from further care Tuesday, according to Mrs. Genevieve Valencia, hospital administrator. Brought here in a critical condition she is said to be well on the way to recovery at the present time.

40-8 Goes to Convention At Long Beach

Coachella Valley Voiture 1341 of 40 of 8 will be well represented by a large delegation at the Long Beach American Legion state convention tomorrow, Aug. 13 through 16, according to Charles E. St. George, chairman of the delegates.

The local group's piece de resistance at the beach city will be the appearance of its locomotive in the Saturday night parade. A considerable amount of work has been done on the vehicle for the event, according to St. George.

Another item which the group believes will make the local voiture outstanding is in the wearing of their new smocks, all hand-painted with desert-mountain background in attractive colors. Special neckties are also part of the dress of the day during the events.

It is the plan for the local group to take part in the legion parade which occurs on Monday afternoon.

Delegates besides Chairman St. George are Secretary Homer Jenkins, Wilbur P. Davis, Henry Menard, L. W. Richards, Hilton McCabe (Commander of the legion) and H. H. Rorschach.

Alternate delegates are Warren Slaughter, Robert Ellsworth, George Kreimer, Russell Combs, Tom Kieley, J. M. Connell and Father Micheal O'Connor.

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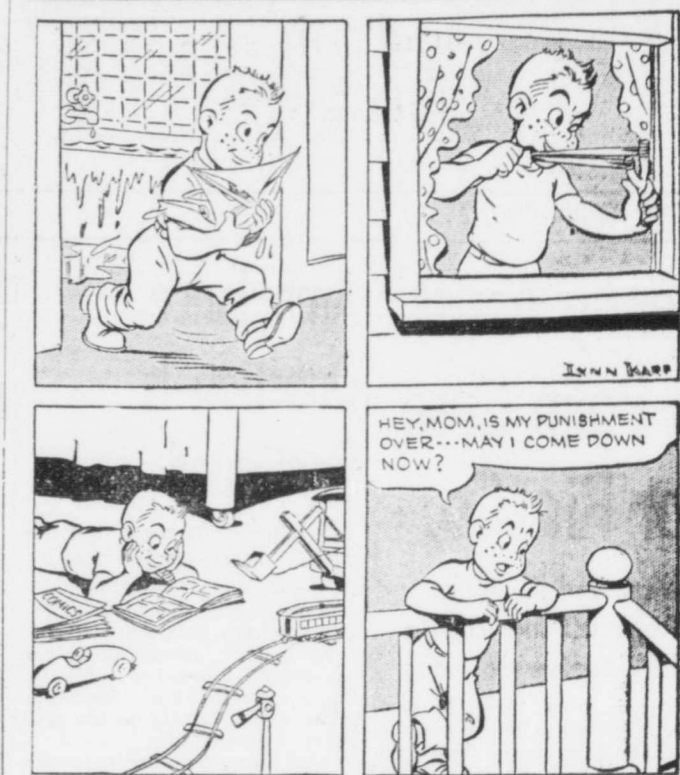
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OPENING POSTPONED FOR LOCAL BANK

According to latest reports the new building, part of Colborn Center, to house the Bank of America, will be ready for occupancy "some time in December," instead of the Sept. 1 date originally set for business in the new structure.

THE MIDDLES

By Bob Karp



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Villagers who feel that they must leave the finest August weather in many years for excitement elsewhere over the weekend are reminded that there are many attractive events within driving distance in the southland with a great diversity of types of entertainment listed.

The festival of arts at Laguna Beach, starting last Monday and continuing through Sunday is said to be "packing 'em in." This event is being held at Irvine Bowl. Also ending Sunday at San Diego is the Navy West Coast Baseball tourney which started last Sunday at the Navy field.

Starting tomorrow at Santa Monica is the nine-day Dias de Oro Centennial celebration, a tribute to the "Golden Days" of Santa Monica. At Adelanto Sunday the finals of the West Coast Soaring championships, starting Aug. 6, will be concluded.

Tomorrow and Sunday are the dates of the San Diego County

Dahlia show. And farther down at Chula Vista on the same dates are the match plays for the Pickford Best Ball tournament.

Perhaps the largest single event of the week-end will be held at the Los Angeles coliseum as the L. A. County Sheriffs put on their annual gigantic rodeo. Everything from the equestrian standpoint will be shown including square dancing on horseback. Movie Star Gene Autrey will headline the show, which is expected to draw a near-packed house in excess of 100,000.

At Coronado on Sunday will be the start of a 14-day affair of the Ocean Handicap race of the Coronado Yacht Club. And at Lake Arrowhead a different type of boat races will be held starting Monday, Aug. 15, as the Invitational Flatboat International races will be held.

Next week at Huntington Beach the Merchants Centennial Fair and Petroleum exposition will be held Aug. 16-18.

All affairs listed above are conducted with the approval of the California State chamber of commerce.

4-H Club Picnic Set for Next Week

The 4-H Club members of Riverside county and their sponsoring organizations will gather at Fairmont park, Riverside, on Thursday, Aug. 18 for their annual picnic. The program will begin at 1:00 p. m. At this time all club members having successfully completed the club year, 1948-49, and boys and girls whose parents are members of the various sponsoring organizations will be presented with free swimming and boat riding.

The evening program will begin at 7:00 p. m. with a basket dinner. Coffee and ice cream is to be furnished by the leader's council. Following this, there will be special music and singing. Highlight of this event will be the announcement of the Riverside County 4-H all-star by the Riverside Kiwanis club.

Mrs. W. A. Wilson, president of the 4-H leader's council extends an invitation to all 4-H Club members and members of the sponsoring organizations.

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Doorway to Beauty

By CHRISTIE CARLTON

A woman's greatest asset is BEAUTY. Regardless of age or position in life, every woman owes it to herself and to the man of her choice to look as beautiful as possible at all times. Even though she may not be a natural born beauty, every woman can acquire by intelligent application of a few basic principles.

Beauty is acquired not only by the use of beauty aids and cosmetics for a skillful make-up job, but also by developing a charming personality, poise, and knowledge of how to dress becomingly and appropriately for all occasions.

Avoid Gaudiness

To be smartly dressed, know your figure type and purchase only garments which are flattering to you. Simplicity is the keynote to smartness. If you are too heavy, nothing is going to make you look like a glamour girl so you either must rid yourself of these extra pounds or refrain from wearing bright colors, bare midriffs and tight fitting garments which only attract attention to unsightly bulges. Above all, remember that a man's admiring glances are always in the direction of a lovely figure and it is bound to be a bit disturbing to have your husband behold a beautiful creature in a gorgeous outfit then have to look back at you with an expression which says "why can't you be like that?" Well, you can if you so desire, simply by adhering to a regular reducing plan; exercising.

diet and massage. If this does not take off the weight, see your physician who will prescribe a safe, sure way in case you have glandular disturbances.

Improving Full Figures

Wear simple but smartly styled garments in conservative colors. Use jewelry for accent to your costume. Do not imprison your body in a tight fitting, heavily boned girdle. Actually they make you look heavier, and with your body in a vise, you succeed only in appearing uncomfortable and incapable of graceful, expressive movements. A light, restraining garment will do more for you.

For play and leisure time when you do not wear a girdle, look your best by carefully choosing garments designed for your type of figure. Some stores specialize in styles for the generously endowed figure. Do not hesitate to get the opinion of a competent sales person as to the most becoming shades and styles for you.

Since beauty is a woman's greatest attribute, she should bear in mind that an artist strives always for perfection in his paintings, upon which depends his livelihood. Whether you are a lady of leisure, career woman or just a plain housewife, you should strive for that perfect portrait of loveliness which CAN be you, whether you are trying to win or to hold the man of your choice.

The greatest liability to mental disorder exists between the ages of 30 and 40.

MURDERER'S REWARD

(A Short Story) BY RICHARD HILL WILKINSON

WALLY DONATO carefully wiped off the automatic and placed it in the hand of the dead man. The dead man's name was Lynn Ogden. He had been Wally's business partner.

So far the thing had gone off with no deviation from the manner in which Wally had planned. The greatest possibility of a slip-up had been overcome by Lynn's wholly unsuspecting attitude.

Ten minutes ago Wally had stepped into Lynn's office and found his partner finishing last details before going home. Lynn had looked up, only mildly curious; had nodded, and bent over his desk once more.

He turned and looked about the room. There was plenty of time. Lynn's body would not be discovered until the next morning. It was best now to make sure that no possible clue remained, and with this in mind he made a slow, scrutinizing tour of the room.

Poor Lynn! What an utter, stupid fool the man was! Well, that's what you get for trusting every Tom, Dick and Harry who comes along. A shrewd man—a man with Wally's brains, for example—would have foreseen this possibility and guarded against it.

The picture of Lynn lying there, face down on the desk, was certainly realistic enough. Wally told himself. No professional could have done a better job. The bullet had entered his right temple and the wound was surrounded by powder burns—a sure-fire factor in establishing a suicide theory. The automatic was clutched in the dead man's hand with the forefinger wrapped around the trigger. It couldn't look more genuine.

Wally smiled to himself again and turned away. It was then that a most surprising thing happened. To an observer it would have appeared weird, miraculous, uncanny.

Wally had taken one step toward the door, when the automatic, resting in the lifeless fingers of Lynn Ogden, exploded. There was a roar, a burst of flame. Lynn's hand jerked off the desk and the automatic went clattering to the floor.

The noise made by his fall was lost by a greater noise—that produced by the terrific impact of Wally Donato's heavy frame crashing against a chair to the floor; the sound of an agonized cry, a cry that presently died on his lips...

It was Inspector Joe Warren from police headquarters who explained the phenomenon. Warren spent several hours alone in the office after the discovery had been made. At the end of that time he summoned the dozen curious and impatient newspaper reporters who were waiting outside.

"Obviously murder," he explained. "But the murdered man shot the murderer before the latter could get away."

The reporters looked bewildered. "Donato," Warren went on, "came in here, shot his partner and then placed the weapon in Ogden's hand to make it look like suicide. After that he removed certain papers from the safe, which were discovered on his person. This probably consumed about 20 or 30 minutes, during which period rigor mortis set in in the dead man. Rigor mortis, you know, is a stiffening and contracting of the muscles. Unfortunately for Donato the muscles of the forefinger in Ogden's right hand which was wrapped about the trigger of the automatic, stiffened and contracted enough to discharge the weapon. Donato was in the path of the bullet. It is the only case of which I am aware where the murdered man killed his murderer."



Wally Donato carefully wiped off the automatic and placed it in the hand of the dead man.

And Wally had calmly drawn the automatic from his pocket, aimed it at Lynn's temple and as calmly pulled the trigger.

He listened for a moment to make sure no one had heard the shot and was coming to investigate, even though he knew the office force had long since departed.

Presently he removed a handkerchief from his pocket and wiped the automatic with careful deliberation. He had to steel himself to the business of inserting the weapon between Lynn's fingers.

"Suicide!" he muttered. "There isn't a possibility of their advancing another theory, and even if they do they won't know whom to suspect."

Oh, it was a nice set-up. It couldn't be nicer.

Wally's attitude was almost jaunty as he walked over to the safe and spun the dials.

The heavy door swung back and Wally drew up a chair to make himself comfortable while sorting out the papers he wanted. He found them without the least difficulty. Securities worth thousands! And no one save Wally and Lynn was aware of their presence here. Their removal, therefore, could never arouse suspicion.

He restored other things in the safe to their proper order, first wiping each article carefully to remove any fingerprints.

Presently he stood up, a satisfied look on his face and returned the chair to its former position. He glanced at his watch. Five-thirty exactly. The whole business had taken less than 30 minutes. And there had not been a single hitch, not one disturbing factor. The task had been

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PHOTOGENIC TRUCK DRIVER—When Don Piper, Desert Hand Laundry truck driver, crashed his vehicle recently, his beautiful wife, Madge, stepped into the picture by taking over during his recovery program to inject a New Look in truck drivers. Above, she is shown as she "made the route" last week. (Desert Sun Photo).

Officer Honored By Birthday Party

In honor of his 38th birthday last Saturday a large group of friends gave a party for Police Officer Jim Hockenbary at Pioneertown.

Starting out in the late afternoon many of the local group bowed or engaged in other indoor activities after which there was a most enjoyable Chinese dinner for the "birthday child" at the Golden Stallion cafe, according to the consensus, with all reporting "a wonderful time."

The honoree next was the recipient of many gifts to mark the special occasion.

Local people attending the party besides Jim and Mrs. Hockenbary were Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Noles, Angelo and Rosa Pistoni, Adolph and Marian Benzing, Tex and Lillian Hopper, Dean and Ann Jones, Bud and Faye Hawkins, Ed and Marian Costello, Ruth Farrell, Chuck Davis, Margaret Winslow, Jim Chandler, Irene Smith, Curley Lindsey, George Stage, Henry and Milton Mediano, Joe Prieto, "Pop" Strebe and Bill Warden.

Nursery School Is Reopened

The Desert Nursery school, 244 S. Palm Canyon drive, has been remodeled and redecorated and is now open for business, according to Norma Whitlam, owner-manager.

Approved by the state of California for the work, Miss Whitlam is a graduate of Stevens college, Columbia, Mo., where she majored in psychology. She has had several years of nursery work in California.

Teaching consists of music, art and handiwork for children 2 to 6. Lunches and fruit juices are served the children during the day and transportation is furnished. A large playground has been provided for the youngsters at the school.

Touring Colorado

Mrs. Ted Griffith left this week to join her son Tom, summer student at Albuquerque, from whence the two will make a two-week tour of Colorado.

India Freedom To Be Celebrated

Residents of the Village are invited to a two-day celebration tomorrow and Sunday in Los Angeles on the occasion of the celebration of India's second anniversary of independence.

The celebration, sponsored by the Students Association of India and the Indian Community of Southern California, will be conducted at the University of Southern California. No admission charges are being made.

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Flemington in Warner Bros. Pic

Herb Flemington, winner last spring of the talent shows at the Plaza theatre and later accepted for studio work at Warner Bros., was in town for a few days last week. He states he is "working steady" on a Milton Berle picture, "Always Leave Them Laughing."

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Specs And I See Eye To Eye

Asked Specs Allen to go hunting last week. Known him all my life, so I wasn't surprised when he showed up with no gun. Specs doesn't like to kill anything.

Couldn't ask for a better hunting companion, though. We tramp around the woods, and whenever the dogs flush a bird, I blaze away while Specs just watches.

Told him once I was surprised he went along... feeling the way he does about shooting anything. "Well, Joe," he says, "you do what you think is right and I'll stick to what I think is right. I've no call to dislike you for not seeing everything the way I see it."

From where I sit, open-mindedness is a wonderful quality. There are plenty of things Specs admires that I don't care for. Like his fondness for buttermilk. I'd rather have a glass of beer anytime... but Specs Allen and I don't let little differences get in the way of something big like friendship.

Joe Marsh

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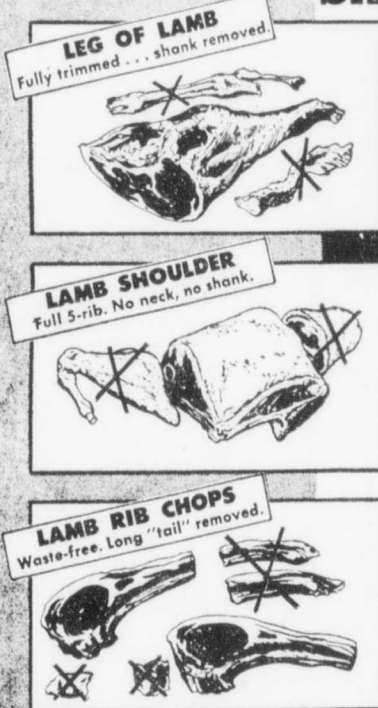
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BREAD Mrs. Wright's Sandwich Sliced Enriched White or Wheat large loaf 18¢

Soft Drinks Full 2 32-oz. bottles 19¢

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Liquid Starch Van 1-bottle 19¢

SAFEWAY

Building Activity Moves Forward In Southland Area

Construction Summary for June, in the fourteen Southern Counties of California revealed a total valuation of \$84,762,544, it was reported this week by George Streit, President of the Building Contractors Association of California.

Streit said that the figures were based on building permits valuations and covered: \$34,970,707 for single dwellings, \$2,234,356 for duplex dwellings, \$7,712,476 for Multiple dwellings (3 or more). Commercial permits amounted to \$4,200,993 for the period and industrial buildings were valued at \$1,689,823. Publicly owned buildings came in for a slice of construction expenditure amounting to \$9,836,331. Additions, alterations and repairs rose to a new high for the year with \$9,599,773—with all permits in other categories totalling \$13,418,485.

Los Angeles County was first with a total of \$61,802,908. Other counties were as follows: Fresno, \$1,451,712; Imperial, \$1,451,060; Inyo, \$33,254; Kern, \$1,451,060; Kings, \$45,650; Orange, \$2,860,743; Riverside, \$1,210,669; San Diego, \$6,443,726; San Bernardino, \$3,745,719; San Luis Obispo, \$194,050; Santa Barbara, \$803,689; Tulare, \$731,007; Ventura, \$1,553,098.

Streit analyzed the report as indicated a "strong upward trend in Southland construction activities", and predicted a "booming building market for at least five more years before we meet current demand and need."

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Increase Aged Aid In Riverside Co.

Aged aid rolls in Riverside county reached 5,595 for June, 1949, compared with 4,389 for December, 1948, and 4,099 for July, 1948. California Taxpayer's association reported this week in analyzing results of the present state relief set-up.

Over the state as a whole, aged aid rolls skyrocketed to 245,294 for June, 1949, from the 198,301 for December, 1948, and the 189,415 for July, 1948. The present state administrative set-up went into effect January 1, 1949.

Compared with national trends, aid to the aged in California is completely out of control, the Taxpayers' association declared in pointing out that in California, they went from 189,415 in July, 1948, to 230,883 in April, 1949, and had shot up to 245,294 in June, 1949.

All over the nation, the total number of people on aged aid rolls was 2,407,283 for July, 1948, compared with 2,581,556 for April, 1949.

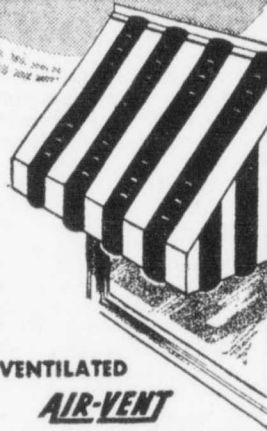
Farrell, Hicks

On Advisory Board

Two new members of the Palm Springs Advisory Board of Bank of America were announced today by F. C. Ingram, manager. The two new appointees are Mayor Charles Farrell and Harold J. Hicks, both well known in business, civic and fraternal circles. They will serve, as do other board members, in lending counsel to the bank's local officers.

According to Ingram, Bank of America advisory boards are important adjuncts to many branches throughout the state. The combined experience and knowledge of the group enables it to give advice on local business conditions.

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Guy Anderson Tells of Realty In Mexico City

Guy Anderson, local realtor now in Mexico City, writes that real estate activity there is "positively fantastic."

"For example," he said, "an average of 100 interested prospects come in to the office every day and of that number at least 50 purchase lots." Anderson is associated with what is said to be the largest real estate firm of that city, Fraccionamientos de Mexico, S. A.

"Lots are sold by the square metro," he continued, "and huge subdivisions are being sold out in a matter of weeks. Many of the purchasers are Americans and Europeans of modest incomes who can live very comfortably in Mexico on a small income."

"The building of new homes is also being carried on at a great scale. Most of the houses being built are of beautiful modern designs clinging to the Spanish with a touch of iron grille work or exterior mosaic tiles. No wood whatsoever is used in the houses. They are of solid brick construction with walls a foot thick and plastered inside and out. Even the roofs are of solid brick construction overlaid with tiles. With the finest of plumbing fixtures and all modern conveniences the best construction can be had for approximately two to three American dollars per square foot," he concluded.

Anderson expects to return to Palm Springs in October and will bring with him Senor Jose Quevedo, one of the outstanding architects of Mexico and associated with the company mentioned above as sales manager. Senor Quevedo is said to be keenly interested in Village architecture, subscribing to both The Desert Sun and The Villager. He is expected to spend a great deal of time during his stay here with Anderson in the study of Village architecture by comparing notes with local architects.



BANK DIRECTOR—Claire Giannini Hoffman, daughter of the late A. P. Giannini, founder of the Bank of America, who was appointed to the seat on the board of directors of the bank to succeed him.

Ude Ready for Reopening

Back in the Village—this time to stay—is Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ude after a trip to Oregon and Washington and the last time to Santa Barbara to visit their son, Walter.

Ude states he will now be involved in a renovation and reconditioning program of his dining room and bar in the El Morocco hotel for a reopening Sept. 1.

Munhollands Like 'Delightful' Weather

Realtor John G. and Mrs. Munholland, in town last week for a few days from their Idyllwild home for the first time since April, expressed most agreeable surprise at the "delightful weather" of the Village, prevalent for the past week.

Rent Controls Are Lifted On Trailers

Rent controls have been lifted from all trailers and trailer spaces in California. It was announced by Ward Cox, western regional housing expediter.

Cox said the action was ordered on his recommendation by National Housing Expediter Tighe Woods in Washington after a survey by the western regional staff showed that the demand for this type of housing accommodation has been reasonably met in California.

Cox explained that the federal law requires the housing expediter to end rent control whenever and wherever the need for them appears to have passed. "Such a condition appears to have been reached among permanent trailer accommodations in California," Cox said. Transient trailers and trailer spaces were exempted from control under the 1949 rent law.

Dilworth Chairman Of State Committee

Sen. Nelson S. Dilworth, state senator from Riverside county, was last week named as chairman of the Senate Education committee. He has been a member of this committee for some time as well as chairman of the subcommittee for investigation on education.

In addition to these posts, Dilworth is also a holdover member on the Committee on Un-American Affairs.

Officer's Mother Dies

Acting Sergeant Howard Poe this week received the sad news of the death of his mother at Redlands, Aug. 9.

Our State Legislature

By JOHN BABBAGE
Riverside County Assemblyman

There is an interesting legislative technique known as the Joint Resolution, whereby the State Legislature conveys its attitude toward certain subjects to the Congress of the United States. Inasmuch as the members of Congress and the members of the State Legislature are the direct representatives of the people in respective fields, it would seem that the Joint Resolution is somewhat outside the ordinary scope of the functioning of the State Legislature.

The notable situation, however, where a Joint Resolution is a necessary adjunct to our Federal Government is, of course, under Article V of the Constitution of the United States. This article provides for the method of proposing and adopting amendments to the Constitution of the United States. It provides, as one of the methods, that the Congress shall call a convention for proposing amendments "on the application" of the Legislature of two-thirds of the several states. The phrase, "on the application," has been generally accepted to mean the action of

the state legislature, as embodied in a Joint Resolution.

A joint resolution may originate in either house of the state legislature. Though a joint resolution is processed by the legislature with somewhat less formality than a regular bill, it is, nevertheless, referred to a committee for hearings and must pass both houses. Under present procedure of the legislature, a joint resolution is almost without exception referred to the committee on rules of the house considering it.

During the past session approximately forty joint resolutions originated in each house of the legislature. Approximately thirty of the joint resolutions of each were finally passed by both houses. These joint resolutions almost invariably resolved that congress, or some department of the federal government, should take action along certain lines, and the California secretary of state was requested by each of the joint resolutions to transmit a copy of the resolution to the appropriate authorities in the federal government. This frequently included the president, the vice-president, the speaker of the house of representatives, and each senator and representative from California in the congress.

Knotty Pine Cafe Goes to Plymires

Knotty Pine Cafe of Cathedral City was sold last week, it was learned as former theatre operators and business leaders, of Desert Hot Springs, Harry L. and Leora D. Plymire, made negotiations for acquiring the establishment from former owner A. C. McLeary. It was reported that the deal will come out of escrow Sept. 1.

As may be readily imagined, the subject matter of these joint resolutions covered a number of fields. Among subjects included were agriculture, conservation, veterans affairs, flood control, shipbuilding and tidelands. Of particular interest, however, was assembly joint resolution No. 26, relative to the participation of the United States in a world federal government. This joint resolution should be considered in connection with the second paragraph of this article, and will be discussed in some detail next week.

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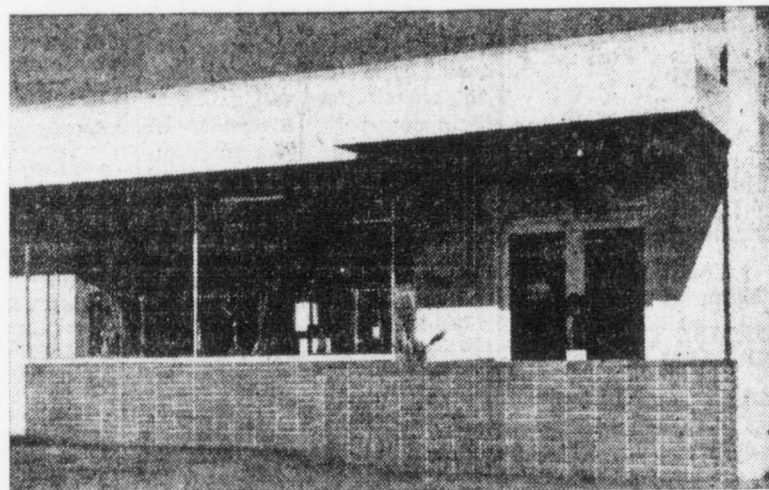
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Ball Games Listed for Coming Week

Softball schedule for the coming week is listed as follows:

Monday, Aug. 15—Del Tahquitz Indians vs. Tex's Rangers; P. S. Electrics vs. Cathedral City.

Tuesday, Aug. 16—Pete's Pioneers vs. DHS Fireball Jrs.; White Sox vs. American Legion; (at DHS) Jr. Chamber vs. DHS.

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Tex's Rangers vs. Pete's Pioneers; P. S. Merchants vs. Mexican Colony.

Thursday, Aug. 18—DHS Fireball Jrs. vs. Del Tahquitz Indians; White Sox vs. Cathedral City.

Friday, Aug. 19—P. S. Merchants vs. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

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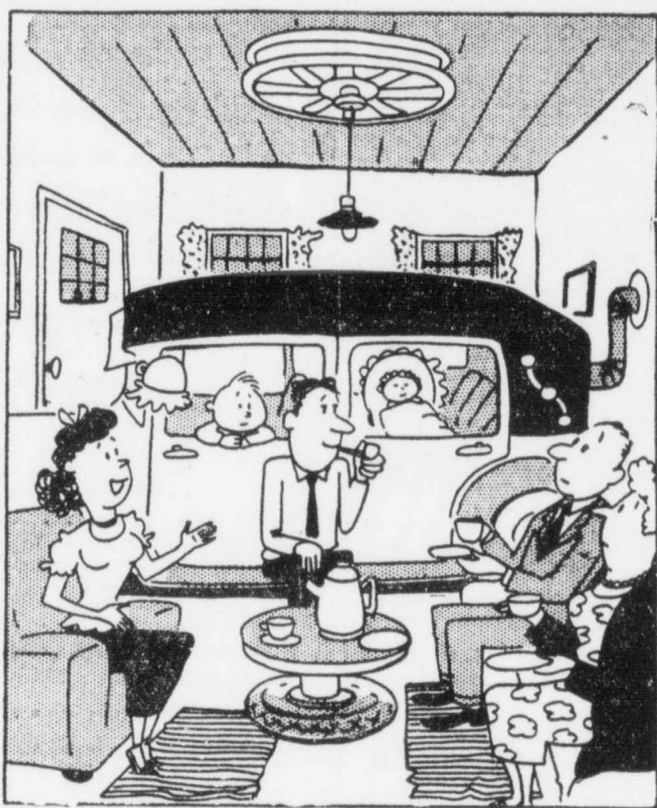
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Salton Sea Ready for Annual Races

The Desert Beach Yacht Club will proceed with plans to stage the Salton Sea Regatta and speedboat races the first or second week in October, the club directorate tentatively decided last week.

Following their plea for aid from the Indian chamber of commerce Wednesday noon, the directors agreed to stage the event but a more definite announcement was expected this week from Kay Olesen, who skips the organization.

"Most everyone and all organizations in the Coachella Valley seem to want to help, and it will certainly take the help of all civic groups to put it across," he pointed out.

He cited the value of the publicity the area receives from the regatta as an outstanding example of its worthiness for assistance.

Trout Interest Soars As Snow Creek Stocked

San Geronimo Pass Fish and Game association, although inactive during the summer months, state that hunting and fishing activities of the club members will continue with special attention to 500 trout planted in Snow Creek last week and 500 more promised for later in the month.

Two Way Radios OK For Game Wardens

At the request of the Inland Council of Sportsmen, the San Bernardino board of supervisors has earmarked \$1,000 of county proceeds from fish and game law fines for purchase of two-way radios in cars operated by local wardens of the Div. of Fish and Game.

Commission Meeting

The next meeting of the California Fish and Game Commission has been set for September 23, at the State building in Los Angeles.

the final tally. With five games yet to be played by each, Bennett points out there is still an opportunity for the Indians to topple the Pioneers. They play each other only once more.

Rufus Lewis and Thomas Avila were battery for the winners. Bunton and James Parker were battery for the losers.

The feature game of the evening was another high scored one with the Palm Springs Electric taking the Junior Chamber 12-10. A five run rally by the "nine old men" set up the winning score. The game was marked by an injury to Tex Driskell who, in the sixth, attempted to field a pop fly near the first base line and was hit by the runner and knocked to the ground. He was removed from the game. Pitcher for the winners was Bill Allred with Joe Wilson catching; battery for the Jaycees was Dick Kelly, relieved by Lloyd Hall as pitchers with Bob Benish catching.

A reformed French thief, Eugene Vidocq, established the first official detective bureau in 1817.

On Tuesday evening the Legion was blanked as the Merchants trounced the veterans group 11-0. A homer in the sixth by Devers placed him in a tie with Dale Habiger of Cathedral City for homer honors with five each so far. In the prelim game that evening one of the best and closest games in some time was turned in as the girl Globe Trotters nosed out the Desert Stars 1-0. Alice Cousins of the stars struck out 16 girls and allowed only three hits while Barbara Crossley of the trotters turned in a no hit no run game. Dottie Markle, homerun queen of the girls league, was held hitless for the game.

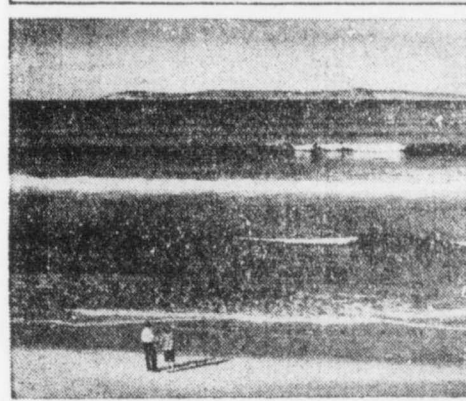
The same evening at Desert Hot Springs the Indians of Del Tahquitz beat the Fireball Juniors 7-5 and the scheduled game between the White Sox and DHS Fireballs failed to materialize as the Soxers forfeited giving DHS credit for a win.

Wednesday night's opener was described by Recreation Director Bob Bennett as "a dilly" as Del Tahquitz Indians nosed out Pete's Pioneers, league leaders, in a 10-inning game 4-3, moving the winners up to 3½ games from top spot.

The score was tied until the tenth when Pitcher Johnny Bunton got on first on an error and by more errors plus base stealing, ran across home plate for

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Veterans Administration announced this month that 1300 paralyzed have been qualified for "wheel chair homes." The government grants \$10,000 for each such home. Paralysis of the legs must be service connected, it was pointed out, in order to qualify for one of these homes under government regulations.

Wrong Address

Approximately 80,000 checks a month are returned to the VA each month for the want of a correct address. This amount compares with 6,000,000 checks sent out monthly.

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In addition the VA receives approximately 200,000 changes of address each month.

A single constructive suggestion earned a Navy civilian employee \$5.00.

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Idyllwild Logging Is Inspected by Forestry Service

Logging methods in the Idyllwild area were under inspection last week as rangers and timber experts of the forestry service gathered in the mountain region.

Headed by P. R. Kevin from the regional headquarters in San Francisco, the group toured the various logging areas, and appraised the results of the county's timber ordinance.

Results of the forest service survey will be incorporated in a general timbering policy for Southern California. The report is being prepared by Walter Puhm, timber manager for the San Bernardino National forest.

District rangers present at the inspection were, George Lang, Arrowhead; Leo Slattery, and Cecil Wynne, Big Bear; James Taylor, Cajon; Lynn Horton, Mill Creek and Don Bauer, San Jacinto.

Harry Kester III

Harry Kester, well-known locally as a square dance caller, has been confined at the Corona hospital for the past two weeks.

The Navy sowed more than 21,000 mines in the Pacific between 1941 and 1945.

Announcement



We are pleased to announce that Mr. C. Jean Bell will be associated with the Desert Bank as Vice-President, and will assume his office on August 15.

He will bring to us valuable experience and is well known in this area, being formerly a Director and Vice-President of the United Title Guaranty Co. of Riverside, and during the past several years, manager of its Palm Springs office.

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A Villager in Switzerland

By MELBA BENNETT

Zermatt, Switzerland

Having read, in Palm Springs, a provocative travel article on Zermatt, extolling the beauties of the Matterhorn and enumerating the wild flowers in the meadows, our first objective when we reached Switzerland was Zermatt. Driving our car up a narrow winding mountain road as far as St. Nickolaus, we left it there and boarded a little mountain train for the rest of the journey. It was an hour's ride winding around and up the mountains dotted with Swiss chalets and terraced with vineyards, before we reached the little village of Zermatt at the foot of the snowcapped Matterhorn.

What a beautiful, charming little village with its narrow streets, no automobiles and extremely few bicycles. Transportation to and from the station is by carriage or by foot. Baggage is hauled in small hand-made wooden carts by the boys of the village.

Clusters of guides stand on the corners in the sun, appraising the new arrivals—are they or aren't they Alpine climbers? We saw the black mark go down for us, despite the fancy feather in Frank's new green Tyrolean hat. (We are trying to talk him into baggy tweed plus-fours and heavy climbing boots—like the guides wear. Then when the tramway is finished in Palm Springs we could plant him at the station for atmosphere.)

AFTER THREE DAYS here we are completely educated and prepared for the Palm Springs to San Jacinto tramway and all the snow sports. In fact, Earl Coffman will have to speed up production just so Deedee and I can wear our new ski pants that we are having tailored. Because you know how mothers are.

To be certain that our ski pants are correct and there will be no cause for chagrin amongst our know-how Village friends, we are having them made by the tailor who makes all the outfits for the guides here. Although I wanted grey trousers I had to take black because black is the more stylish and the more correct. Deedee wanted two pockets but she took one because one is correct. They are very firm about what is proper for a woman. In fact woman keeps her place here, and I find myself already walking behind Frank waiting until he orders in restaurants and even asking him what he would rather do. If we stay here much longer I'll be casting my eyes down when he speaks to me.

About our tailor, blue eyed, pink cheeked, blonde Rosa Tangwalder; she lives with her husband and five beautifully healthy children in the chalet her father-in-law built in 1899. In the cozy, low-ceilinged blue room where we had our fittings, a large white beam across the ceiling declares (in Swiss) that, "This house was built by Peter Tangwalder and his wife Katharina and his children Appolonia, Rudolph, Katharina, Heinrich, Melanie, Theodor, Arnold, Franziskus, Peter, Martin, Adolph." Did you count twelve? So did I. And they all lived in one room. Perhaps that is what makes the Swiss tolerant, kind, honest and jovial and very clean. They have, perhaps, by living with twelve or thirteen others in one room, learned how to get along with each other and the world.

THE SWISS are a model people and a model nation. They are never unkind or critical or greedy. As individuals they have developed these qualities so of course, as a nation they practice them. There is no "government control." Each village elects its president, each village and canton owns its own lands, is responsible for its own problems, etc. It is not controlled by the national government. Quite a contrast to the policy of our United States government which, under "Democratic" leadership, cuts deeper and deeper into our State's rights, owning and controlling more and more property that should rightfully be kept in the hands of the states or individuals. Bureaucracy? Why, yes.

Women here do not have the vote and they believe that is wrong but they tell me that they don't think it will ever change.

Typical of the treatment tourists may expect to receive is that afforded us by Monika Kronig who seems to feel responsible that we have a happy visit in Switzerland. Her advice, even to the fit of our ski pants, has been invaluable and her patience and good humor unexcelled. Monika is Swiss and, like most of them, speaks four languages, and has a diploma in French and German. She is also a cook and a storekeeper. And she has laughter and good health in her eyes and in her heart.

I asked Monika and her sister why the Swiss people are so happy. They answered promptly that it is because they all have to work hard. Mountain living is hard living. I believe another reason is because all their efforts are bent towards making other people happy. They honestly take us, the tourists, to

their hearts and are eager that we enjoy their beautiful country as much as they do.

But to get back to the ski pants that Rosa Tangwalder has made me . . . they are so tight that I can't sit down in them, but she and Monika assure me that I'm not supposed to sit. However, I know from experience that I can't stand for very long, anyway, on a pair of skis, so it looks as if I may present a new problem to the engineering department of the Tramway Authority.

(One Week Later)

Zurich, Switzerland

Well, today is the National Holiday. On August 1st, 1291 the Swiss signed the perpetual pact for their Confederacy and today all the flags are waving, the women have their costumes out of moth balls, the bands are playing Swiss tunes, and all the banks and stores are closed, and because we didn't know about this holiday and had planned to cash a check we are out of luck and can't eat. Counting up our centimes doesn't make a franc . . . it takes a hundred. American dollars might be counterfeited for all the interest we can arouse in them.

We certainly have been lucky in hitting the big national holidays. In London we made it for the King's official birthday, and in France we were on the Riviera for their Bastille Day, July 14th. At home we always hide in the closet on the 4th of July, but here we stay on the streets just to be sure they don't know more about celebrating a holiday than we do at home.

THE DAY BEFORE we left Interlaken to move over here to Zurich we got up at six in the morning, took a train at the foot of the Jungfrau, changed to three other trains, and finally made it right up there to the top. It was sure covered with snow, what I could see of it through my blindness from the glare of the sun on it. It had taken four hours to reach the top and yet we could look right down the valley to Interlaken, only a small spit. With the rest of the hundreds of tourists, we had dug our heels into the snow and climbed as high as we could climb without a rope, a guide, a St. Bernard dog and a flask of brandy.

You can see that we are looking over everything Switzerland offers in the way of Jungfraus and Matterhorns, so that no tourist visiting Palm Springs will be able to say of our own tramway, "I've seen better." We can answer right back, "Really, where?" Then we'll fight it out on the basis of a matter of opinion. And, our opinion can be very positive. That is why we have decided to go on and see the Tirolean Alps . . . we might have missed a fenicular or a taller Alp.

I don't like to make Francis Crocker and Earl Coffman unduly anxious, but I do think it best that they know the worst. . . . Frank and Deedee have bought accordions and are taking lessons! They are very secretive about their motives but it wouldn't surprise me but what they are planning to ask for the entertainment concession on the tramway run to San Jacinto. They suddenly seem far more excited over snow, glaciers, and feniculars than they ever were over sun and sand and horses. It certainly signifies something psychological, don't you think? When he practices, Frank puts on his Tyrolean hat with the feather in it, as if that would make it sound any better.

IT WAS WORTH our life, on the train up to the Jungfrau, to see out of the windows because there were from one to three Swiss standing hanging out of every window. They always stand up in trains, though there are plenty of seats, and if the view on one side seems better than the other, they all lean out that side. And if there isn't a view they just stand sort of waiting for one to come along. They just don't like to sit, I guess, being accustomed to it

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and liking exercise the way they all do. I'm sure they would rather ride up a mountain on a bicycle than be taken up on a train. They like everything the hard way, even to farming the sides of mountains instead of on the level. And the women are as sturdy and exercise and work as vigorously as the men do.

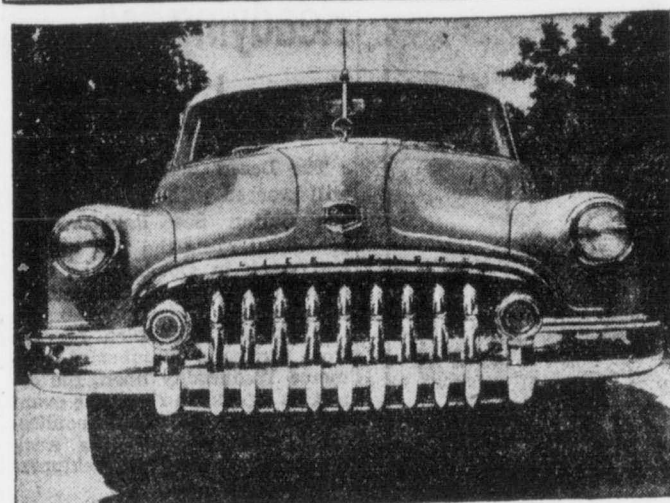
I have yet to see a Swiss woman with any make-up on, or nail polish. A complete contrast, certainly, to the Parisians and Rivieraans with their heavy eye-shadow, mascara, lipstick and rouge. Nor do the Swiss women have any style . . . the shops show no dainty lingerie, no smart dresses, no pretty shoes . . . all their clothes look like basement bargains in sleepy rayon. But despite this lack of artificial help, the Swiss women are beautiful. Although they drink a little wine or beer, they never smoke cigarettes.

IT SEEMS to be a much simpler process for an American to become adjusted to the Swiss way of living than to the French because whereas the French are completely and consistently disorganized, the Swiss have a keen sense of organization, akin to the Americans. They are won-

derfully mechanical and it is a mystery to me why they don't make automobiles. I'll bet it would be the finest, most precise on the market. Maybe they are waiting until they can perfect an electric one, because everything here is operated by electricity. That is one reason why their cities are so deliciously quiet and clean. Besides which there is little or no bell ringing or horn blowing, being definitely "verboten" at night.

Of course cities don't even look like cities here, being practically smothered with red geraniums. And every city has its own private lake equipped with beautiful white swans and gay, busy white steamers . . . Geneva, Interlaken, Luzern, Zurich. And of course there are always the Alps as backdrop to the lakes. The Swiss are constantly asking us, "Is it as pretty in California?" We hedge and answer, "Well, we have a different kind of beauty." How could even California have anything as sweet as the chalets, the homespun costumes, the dear old songs from the accordions, the gentleness and generosity of the people? Maybe it will come with age? We are young yet.

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Social ACTIVITIES

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Mrs. Charles Burket, enjoying a vacation with her family in Long Beach, found it suddenly necessary last Sunday to make a trip to the Seaside hospital of that city for an emergency appendectomy, said to have been performed "with success."

She will continue her summer vacation in that city accompanied by her daughter, Carol, until the latter's return to school in the fall at Pomona college.

Shirley Mizysak In Colorado Visit

Shirley Mizysak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mizysak, the father being associated with the Don Seiler Construction company, is at the present time vacationing in Pueblo, Colo., on a visit with her friend, Barbara Hathaway, whose father is manager of the Pueblo baseball team. Miss Mizysak expects to return to the Village in about two weeks.

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Doing the Village

This column, in the summer, reads as if Palm Springs had literally shifted up the hill to Idyllwild.

That is hardly the case but the colony of localities is large at the summer resort and being close to the Village we manage to keep track of their comings and goings up yonder. Last week the Gordon Clarks, with daughter Evelyn, took off from their cabin for a six weeks to two months tour of the Great Northwest and much of Canada. Then, undoubtedly, will run across many Villagers up around Lake Louise and Banff. During their absence their cabin will be occupied by Marjorie Schanderl and Ella Loth Johnson. The girls from the Peter Pan Bakery in Cathedral City, Helen Hill and Mae Johnson, are keeping cool in their cabin a block away.

Pine Scented Breezes

The Maurice (Mac) McCanns have been enjoying the pine scented breezes on the Hill also this summer. There is never a dull moment up around the Williams hacienda. Reba Mason, who is in the Stewart Williams cabin this summer, spotted a large rattler on the drive to the house. She called for aid and the reptile was soon biting the dust. Dee Williams, not to be outdone, ran across a mountain lion not far from their home. Maybe these facts should not be published as Dee's mother arrived from Florida Saturday for a visit and she might get the wrong impression of the wilds of California.

The Harold Lieneaus arrived on the Hill for a weeks stay Sunday and Merrill and Juanita Crockett managed to get up to their Saunders Meadow cabin for the weekend. Those traveling Coopers, Jimmy and Shirley, have left the Hill for a week or two at Rancho Santa Fe. Helen Edgerton and her niece Jane Neel

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were hostesses to the bridge gang on Friday afternoon. The last we heard of Jane's ma and pa, the Carl Lykkens, were also heading towards Banff.

Lake Tahoe Still Calling

Tahoe is still luring many up that away. The last to answer the call were Bill and Ruby Aikin. Helen and Gene Hughes will leave this weekend for the northern resort and their home in Homewood. While there they will see much of son Jay who has been in Reno this summer.

Joining the Laguna-ites for the month of August are the Fred Ingrams and the Al Rensiers. Vivian Archibald likes this good neighbor policy and has headed for Mexico City once again. The fishing must have been fine in the High Sierra last summer because the Charlie McDonalds and the Bill Luxs have returned to the back hills country above Bishop for a repeat performance.

After two weeks of chasing the big ones and catching the small ones the McDonalds will head eastward making many stops to visit their families, buy a new car in Michigan is the focal point of their trip. The Luxes will finish off August in Idyllwild. Helen Chambers joined the small, select colony at Palm Springs for a week, cooled off with the Arthur Coffees in the Shadow Mountain pool but was glad to get back under the shade of higher mountains in Fern Valley. Katherine Finch comes down off the Hill at least once a week for school business.

We'll ignore the Balboa bunch for another week and hope they are catching nothing but mackerel and saving the albacore and a broadbill or two for us.

Mrs. Dudley Clark Flies To Ohio

Mrs. Dudley B. Clark of the Pioneer ranch left this week via American Air Lines for Cleveland and Columbus, Ohio, where she will visit relatives during the next several weeks, with plans to return to the desert in late September or early October.

The veteran population of the United States was computed by the Veterans Administration as 18,915,000 on May 1st of this year. Of these, 15,143,000 served in World War II; the remainder served in World War I and other wars.

The nation's population of veterans and members of their families is expected to reach a peak of 60,000,000 in 1955, the VA reports.

Through a series of self-liquidating bond issues, the State Department of Veterans Affairs has advanced more than \$175,000,000 to nearly 34,000 California ex-servicemen since 1921 for the low-interest purchase of farms and homes. No cost to the taxpayer is involved, since the bonds are redeemed out of the veterans' installment payments.

Records of some twenty-six thousand veterans who served with the armed forces as far back as the Revolutionary War are on file with the Veterans Administration.

Commerce Dept. Ready to Assist Business Vets

Are you thinking of going into business, Vet? Pause then, think of going to one place that can give you plenty of excellent advice—the Department of Commerce.

This department operates to field offices located at the Federal Post Office and Courthouse building, room 1546, at 312 North Spring street, Los Angeles, and room 307, Custom House, Washington and Battery streets, San Francisco. County service officers and veterans' service center directors also have information on what services are offered by the Department of Commerce.

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ger as secretary and George V. Claytor as treasurer. Four Riverside County physicians, experienced in poliomyelitis treatment, comprise the Medical Advisory committee.

One of the first actions of the local committee was to approve an expenditure for more than \$300.00 for a thermostatically controlled paraffin heater, Miss Adelaide Berdeen, registered physical therapist, described how melted paraffin is placed by dipping or brushing on the painful muscle or extremity, in a series of coatings, to heat the underlying paralyzed or contracted muscle before it is exercised. In hands and feet which are still and cold, the heat by this method improves the circulation for as long as 24 hours, in some cases.

The committee also endorsed the work of the Children's league in helping to provide space for physically handicapped children at the Riverside Community hospital. It was pointed out, opening of the physical therapy facilities at the Community hospital would be necessary to carry out daily treatments on these children. The Riverside County committee of the Sister Kenny foundation expects to use some of its funds for this purpose.

A third action was to approve a trip by H. W. Halls, Riverside bracermaker, to a national training course at the Mellon Institute in Pittsburgh in September where he will learn the latest technique in bracermaking for poliomyelitis patients.

The work of Mrs. Zaida Jaffa of San Bernardino, in raising over \$700,000 in contributions to the Kenny Foundation in Riverside county, chiefly in the Palm Springs area, was given special recognition. The local drive last spring was spearheaded by Mrs. Bunker and Mrs. Charles Farrell who acted as co-chairman.

Benjamin Franklin and other colonists, who met in 1754 to discuss defense measures for the French and Indian War, submitted a plan for union of all the colonies, according to Franklin's memoirs, which will be published by the University of California Press in two new editions April 30—the first authoritative edition (\$2.50) and a parallel edition of four different texts of the memoirs (\$12.50). The proposal was turned down by the assemblies of the provinces because it created "too much prerogative" and England judged it as "too democratic."

"EASY DOES IT"

By HELEN HALE
FOR PRETTY salad decorations, dip green grapes in beaten egg white, then dip in fine granulated sugar. Let dry and they will give a lovely frosty touch to salads or fruit cups.

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Poppers make good containers for serving creamed chicken or chipped beef which has been creamed. Scoop out the insides of the poppers before using, of course!

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Blue Cheese Hamburgers
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1 1/2 pounds ground beef
1 egg
1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon dry mustard
2 tablespoons salad dressing
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
1/2 pound blue cheese
Mix together meat, egg, salt and pepper. Form into 12 patties. Crumble the cheese and mix with mustard, salad dressing and Worcestershire sauce. Place this mixture on six of the patties and cover with remaining patties. Press edges of meat together, enclosing the cheese mixture. Broil on each side 6-8 minutes or until done.

Silvered, toasted almonds add elegance to a cream of chicken soup. Top baked apples with whipped cream or ice cream if you want to glamorize this simple and homey dessert.

Cranberry sauce is an old standby with roast pork or pork chops, but you can make the sauce more interesting if you add some washed, seedless raisins to the sauce during cooking.

Fry apple rings in butter, brown sugar and cinnamon and pair them with crusty-baked spareribs for a duet that's really flavorful.

If you want to add a bit of extra nice flavor to that steak about to be broiled mix together salt, pepper and a bit of marjoram. Rub this into the steak on both sides.

A thin slice of ham, spread with softened cream cheese, mixed with finely chopped chives, served on a paper thin slice of rye bread makes a delicious appetizer.

Cuckoo Quiz



A HULA DANCER

YOUR brain budget

1. Yngolavie recently assured the United States that she had ceased giving aid to (a) Greek rebels, (b) Chinese nationalists, (c) Berlin railroad strikers.
2. The artist of the famous painting, "The Sower," was (a) Millet, (b) Manet, (c) Michelangelo.
3. A famous journey from Goshen to Canaan was made by (a) John I. Lewis, (b) Richard the Lion Hearted during the crusades, (c) the Israelites.
4. A quotation attributed to Neville Chamberlain upon his return from the Munich conference is "I bring you . . . (a) an umbrella," (b) Hitler's assurance he won't attack England, (c) peace in our time."
5. Often associated with the name, "Pandora," is (a) a box, (b) a brand of face powder, (c) a French movie.

ANSWERS
1.—(a) Greek rebels. Since his break with Stalin, Tito has refused aid to the Greek Communists.
2.—(a) Millet. It is a painting of a barefoot girl sowing grain.
3.—(c) The Israelites.
4.—(c) "peace in our time."
5.—(a) A box. Pandora was the girl whose curiosity led her to lift the lid and release upon the world all its troubles.

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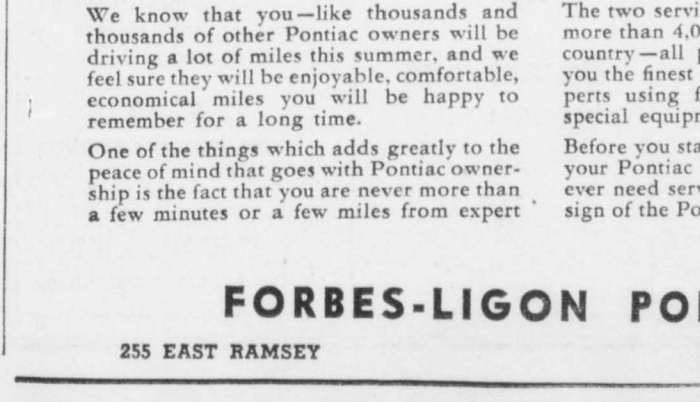
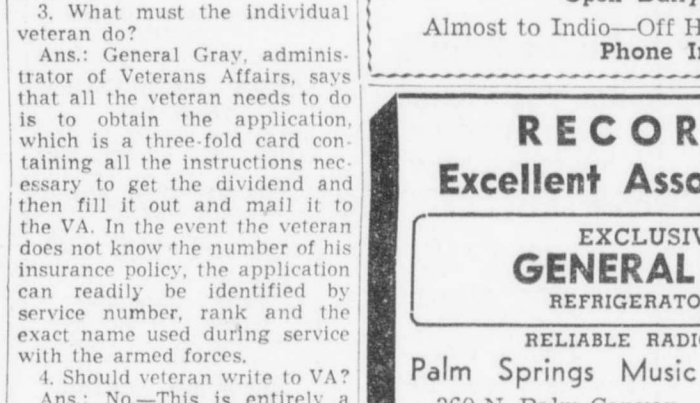
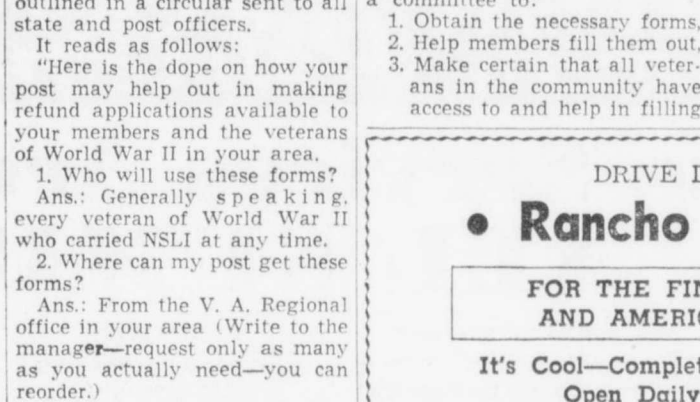
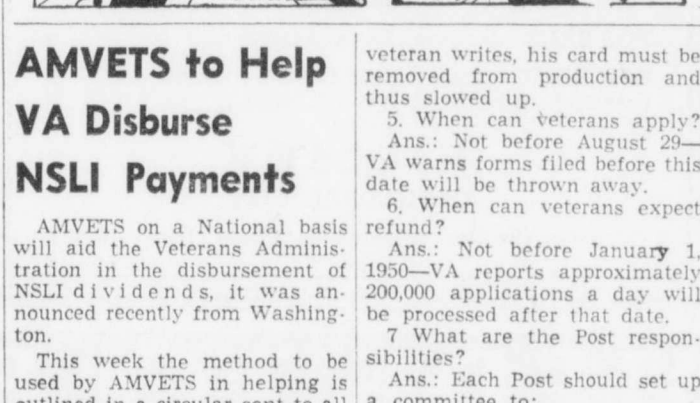
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California veterans attending schools and colleges under the state educational assistance program numbered 3660 at the end of May.

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Mrs. A. M. Price Dies in Ohio

Mrs. A. M. Price, who for the past few years had lived with her son Willard Price of Cathedral City, is reported as having died last month in Ohio. She was 88 at time of death. During her life on the desert she had been very active in local church work.

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Rev. Wartes On Naval Duty

Rev. Jack Wartes, pastor of the Cathedral City Community church has been assigned to a destroyer group as a Naval Reserve chaplain for active sea duty on maneuvers starting tomorrow, Aug. 13 through Aug. 27. The cruise is scheduled to operate up to Vancouver, B. C. During the last war, Chaplain Wartes served aboard a troop attack transport.

After a liberty period in Vancouver, at which time he hopes to visit his family in Seattle, the ship is scheduled to return to Long Beach.

The Wartes' eighth wedding anniversary will fall on Aug. 14, and Mrs. Wartes, secretary to the city engineer of Palm Springs, George Minturn, states that this is the third time in their married life that the navy has separated them on their anniversary.

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Palm Desert Sunbeams

By Edith Eddy Ward

L. F. Talbot started construction last week of the nine rental units which he is adding to the Sun and Shadow apartments. Designed by H. W. Burns of Palm Springs, the new Sun and Shadow will be the "last word" in beauty and comfort, with a private swimming pool for guests. Burns has carried out the same ultra-modern exterior of Arizona flagstone and stucco as he did in the original building, with the use of corrugated glass and copper on the interior. The R. H. Construction Co., contractors for the job, hope to have it completed in time for a formal opening this fall.

Word comes from Herb Pritzlaff in White Plains, N. Y. where he is vacationing, that he will be back in Palm Desert ready to start building his new home by September 15th. If it is done in the true Pritzlaff style, it

should be "out of this world." The re-construction of the R. P. Shea home is coming right along and should be finished before very long.

New Road Publicized

Speaking of cooling off, the Motorist in last Sunday's L.A. Examiner, showed the shortest route from the desert to the ocean via the Palms-to-Pines highway, the Anza road to Highway 71 and 395, coming out to the coast at Oceanside—a 2½ hour drive from Palm Desert.

The Tommy Tomsons arrived last week with the family to spend the weekend at the Hot Rocks and water the trees that Tommy planted last spring. He has just completed another unusual landscape design for the Royal Palms hotel at Carlsbad.

Among the guests at Shadow Mountain club last week was a newly wedded couple from San Diego, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Chase (she was formerly Catherine McMillan). They were married in Whittier at the Quakers' Friends church.

Mrs. Eugene Kincaid (Kincaid Nurseries) left last week for Sacramento for a visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Striker.

The Vernon Pecks have been entertaining poolside visitors at their cabana with music from their antique pianola. It has

been returned and really sounds good.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Bailey gave a cocktail-supper party at their lovely home in Los Angeles which was attended by many Shadow Mountain Club members. They included Dr. and Mrs. Alva Brockway, the Judge Byrnes, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peck, and Oliver M. Morris.

Henderson Returns

Cliff Henderson is home from his vacation. He arrived at Palm Desert last week and showed motion pictures on the poolside terrace of the Shadow Mountain club which he had taken on his trip. They included the water skiing at the Chicago Railroad fair, his fishing trip in Colorado Springs and a water show taken in Canada. He returned full of pep and ideas and is looking forward to a big season on the desert this year.

The Al Petersons have returned from their trip which took in Las Vegas (where Al says he nearly made expenses), the North Rim of the Grand Canyon, Zion Park, Bryce Canyon and Colorado Springs. They covered 4000 miles in two weeks! According to them, the desert in Nevada, Utah and Arizona, gets just as hot, if not hotter, than our desert does in the summer-time—the only difference being that if you want a cooler climate you can reach it from Palm Springs and Palm Desert within a half hour, whereas in that country it is necessary to drive several hundred miles to cool off.

The original home of the Easter lily was islands in the Luikiu Archipelago which extends southward from Japan.

Migrant Workers Are Given Advice To Stay On Job

Edward F. Hayes, officer of placement for the State Department of Employment, today advised migrant farm workers in Riverside county to stay on the job as long as they have one before moving on. "There is a surplus of migrant labor in the state," Hayes said, "and many workers are being disappointed when moving to a new crop area to find no jobs and no living facilities available."

Hayes also advised workers to travel as little as possible. "Be-

fore leaving an area at the end of a harvest, workers should call at the local department of employment office to see if other work is available or soon to start in the same area. The office also has information about crops, harvest dates, and labor needs in other areas. By using this farm, labor information service, workers can save themselves useless and expensive travel and disappointment."

Hayes' final word of advice to the worker is that one can frequently earn more money during a season by staying longer on a job though the wage may seem low, than by shifting about in search of higher wages, but involving lost time at work, costly travel, and uncertainty in finding jobs and living facilities.

Missourians Set for Picnic

Dedicated to the Missouri pioneers of 1849, the annual Missouri State society picnic will be held Sunday, Aug. 21, at Sycamore park, Los Angeles, according to President B. Rhea Lang.

Information from Florence E. Parsons, secretary, states that all Villagers who are former residents of Missouri, are cordially invited to the day's festivities which will be replete with program of entertainment, registers, basket lunches, Missouri-brewed coffee and special souvenir 49er badges.

"TRICK" SHOOTING EXPOSED

"TRICK SHOOTER" are fighting words, stranger, and smile when you say them to modern exhibition shooters who perform their feats of marksmanship legitimately.

That's the advice of Ernie Lind, one of America's top exhibition shooters, who unmasked some of the trickery which earned old-time carnival and vaudeville shooters their name of trick shooters. "Trick" shooters is a name that makes genuine marksmen like Ernie and his wife, Dot, as well as Herb Parsons, another crack shot, boiling mad. The Linds and Parsons tour the country annually, shooting at gun clubs where they perform dozens of real feats of marksmanship under the sponsorship of local clubs and Western-Winchester.

The Balloon Stunt

The old-time fake shooters used to amaze audiences by breaking tiny targets with blanks, or with real bullets even though the bullets missed the targets. This sounds incredible and it is because the stunts were done by trickery, according to Ernie Lind who has explained how some of these seemingly impossible tricks were performed.

The balloon stunt is typical. Shooting from the rear of a vaudeville theater, the trick shooter aimed his rifle at a poker chip, squeezed off his shot and the chip disappeared. The trick was performed by pasting the poker chip on a balloon 18 inches in diameter, and letting the chip pop out behind a hole in the curtain. Hitting the 18-inch balloon "disappeared" the chip.

The moth ball stunt was even more ingenious. In this one, the audience saw a tiny moth ball peeking out of what appeared to be a black cloth on the stage. The trick shooter raised his rifle, plink, and the moth ball disappeared in a puff of powder. People in the front rows could even smell the powdered moth ball.

How It Was Done. Here's how it was done: A big rat



Ernie and Dot Lind, famous Western-Winchester exhibition shots, expose how old-time phony shooters pretended to shoot a moth ball, but hit a big metal plate attached to a rat trap instead. Farring the plate, which was rigged in such a way that it released the trigger of the trap, caused the trap to spring and shatter the moth ball. Of course, all the audience saw was a tiny moth ball peeking out of what appeared to be a black cloth on the stage.

trap was nailed to a heavy board. The trigger of the trap was fastened to a steel plate about 10 inches across. Hitting this big 10-inch plate released the spring of the rat trap. The moth ball was placed where this spring would bang down upon it. Thus, the trickster shot at the steel plate, which released the spring which broke the moth ball.

Splitting bullets with a knife can be done by good shooters, but the old phony shooters didn't take a chance. They mounted a small fragile target on either side of a knife blade which faced them and pretended that their bullet would be cut in two by the knife blade. Both targets broke at the sound of the shot, but the secret of this one is that there was always a steel plate behind

the knife. Lead bullets splatter on steel and will break fragile targets even though they may miss them by as much as five inches.

The cigarette trick, Ernie Lind points out, was the safest stunt the trickster tried. An assistant held a lit cigarette between his lips, while the trick shooter pretended to shoot off the ashes. This was the stunt performed with a blank. When the blank was fired, the assistant merely blew through a tube in his specially-constructed cigarette and off flew the ashes.

These phony stunts are no longer performed. They were entertaining, but modern genuine marksmen can perform just as entertainingly using real skill and real ammunition, Lind says.

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On Tuesday the animal was again noticed on the back porch of the house where it had bitten Mrs. Whitlam but police were not able to capture it at that time either. Residents of the area are requested to notify police at the appearance of the animal for its capture and examination by the health officer.

Palm Springs Third In County Receipts For Motor Licenses

The State Department of Motor Vehicles yesterday announced apportionments totaling \$93,425.55 for cities in Riverside county from the state's receipts from motor vehicle license fees, with Palm Springs third on the list.

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county came to \$113,203.92. The next highest city allowance in the county was for Corona, with \$9,871.31 apportioned on the population figure of 9146. Following this was Palm Springs with \$7,785.01, then Banning for \$7,182.76 and Blythe for \$4,115.38. Other allowances were as follows: Beaumont, \$3,255.18; Coachella, \$1,699.90; Elsinore, \$2,238.47; Hemet, \$3,680.42; Indio, \$2,755.46; Perris, \$1,563.91 and San Jacinto, \$1,854.24. The total amount listed for apportionment throughout the state was \$14,820,198.27.

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Cross-Word Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Splendid
- 2 Historical town in Asia Minor
- 3 Plant cultivated as fodder
- 4 Intransitive
- 5 Part of a harness
- 6 South American mountain system
- 7 Note of scale
- 8 Mischievous child
- 9 Once more
- 10 Child's napkin
- 11 Not any
- 12 Fragrance
- 13 Wings
- 14 Land measure
- 15 Fermented juice of the grape
- 16 Racing boat
- 17 Girl
- 18 Obstinate
- 19 Kind of fern
- 20 Hasty departure
- 21 Symbol for calcium
- 22 To interpret (archaic)
- 23 Small, light boat
- 24 Sacred Hindu word
- 25 Simian
- 26 Common game
- 27 Malt beverage
- 28 Earth goddess
- 29 Heavenly body
- 30 Son
- 31 Oriental salutation
- 32 To pay out
- 33 City in Florida
- 34 Refrain

VERTICAL

- 1 Enticing charm
- 2 To skip about
- 3 To sail (Latin)
- 4 Compass point
- 5 Winged serpents
- 6 Country of Asia
- 7 Observed
- 8 Genus of swine
- 9 Low note
- 10 Story in installments
- 11 Crockery
- 12 To revolt
- 13 Cognomen
- 14 To ascend
- 15 Smudge
- 16 Vigilant
- 17 Shrewd
- 18 Sage
- 19 To put a load on
- 20 Gave
- 21 Boats
- 22 To iterate
- 23 Large bundle
- 24 Settlement
- 25 To correct
- 26 Punctuation mark
- 27 Hail (Latin)
- 28 Compass point
- 29 Winged serpents

Answers to Last Week's Puzzle

Across: 1. SPLENDID, 2. HISTORICAL, 3. FODDER, 4. INTRANSITIVE, 5. PART, 6. SIERRA, 7. SCALE, 8. MISCHIEVOUS, 9. ONCE, 10. NAPKIN, 11. ANY, 12. FRAGRANCE, 13. WINGS, 14. LAND, 15. FERMENTED, 16. RACING, 17. GIRL, 18. OBSTINATE, 19. KIND, 20. HASTY, 21. CALCIUM, 22. INTERPRET, 23. SMALL, 24. SACRED, 25. SIMIAN, 26. COMMON, 27. MALT, 28. EARTH, 29. HEAVENLY, 30. SON, 31. ORIENTAL, 32. TO, 33. CITY, 34. REFRAIN.

Down: 1. CHARM, 2. SKIP, 3. SAIL, 4. COMPASS, 5. SERPENTS, 6. COUNTRY, 7. OBSERVED, 8. GENUS, 9. LOW, 10. STORY, 11. CROCKERY, 12. REVOLT, 13. COGNOMEN, 14. ASCEND, 15. SMUDGE, 16. VIGILANT, 17. SHREWD, 18. SAGE, 19. PUT, 20. GAVE, 21. BOATS, 22. ITERATE, 23. BUNDLE, 24. SETTLEMENT, 25. CORRECT, 26. PUNCTUATION, 27. HAIL, 28. COMPASS, 29. SERPENTS.

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Situations Wanted 25

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NURSE, undergraduate, typist. Care of convalescents or elderly. File 43, Desert Sun.

EFFICIENT STENOGRAPHER, PART TIME OR HOURLY. PHONE 701

EXPERIENCED local man desires position as hotel or apt. manager. A. J. Miller, 350 Mel.

Help Wanted 27

FARM EXPERIENCE REQUIRED
A salesman will be hired by major feed company for permanent full-time work in this County. Home nights. No stock or credit to carry. Better-than-average earnings. Thorough training on job. Must have dependable car. Age 25 to 50. Only sober, serious-minded, reliable men will be considered. For confidential appointment, reply to Box 40, Desert Sun.

JOB OPENINGS—Bullock's Palm Springs. Appliance salesman, records, ready-to-wear, candy. Full time and part time work. Contact Miss Lissner, Bullock's 7th and Hill, Los Angeles.

Business & Financial 30

BE IN BUSINESS for yourself. Is your home located in a business district? If so, we will set you up in business; you risk nothing. Your deposit to cover furniture samples returnable upon request. BAMB-BOO RATTAN SHOPS, 46 W. Colorado, Pasadena, Calif.

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Exchanges 36

WANT clear home or other property. P. S. or L. A. vicinity to \$75,000 value as part payment on income unit in heart of Westwood. W. L. A. Showing fine income. Also income unit in Palm Springs. Will trade. Call West L. A. Arizona 9-6297 or write Mr. Willey, P. O. Box 6, Joshua Tree.

7-UNIT, plus owner's 3-room apartment on Hiway "66" close to Santa Anita race track. Beautifully furnished. Panel heat, tile showers. 2 years old. BIG SPENDABLE INCOME. \$16,000. Equity. Will sell or trade for P. S. home, income, going business or ? 210 E. Huntington Dr., Monrovia.

VISTA TRADE

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WANT PALM SPRINGS clear lots in trade for new home just completed in Joshua Tree. Write Mr. Willey, P. O. Box 6, Joshua Tree or phone Joshua Tree 7231 between 12 and 1.

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DAVE ROSE
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2 BEDROOM furnished, garage. Close in. Will trade for L. A. Horn, 327 N. Orange Grove Ave., L. A.

Real Estate Wanted 37

LISTINGS WANTED!
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Business Rentals 38

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OFFICE SPACE, complete with desk, 24-hour switchboard service and stenographer. Call PEGGY SCOTT, 2701.

Wanted to Rent 39

WANTED: 1 or 2 bedroom furnished house or apartment on yearly lease under \$100 month. 3 adults in family. We furnish linens, blankets, dishes, silver. We are permanent responsible valley residents locally employed. Prefer Rancho Mirage, but will consider any location if house or apartment is suitable. File 44, Desert Sun.

NEEDED TO RENT: House, unfurnished, with 2 bedrooms near center of town. Permanent year round basis. Boy seven and baby. Not over \$65. Jed Ostling, Desert Sun office.

Wanted to Rent 39

WANTED: Well furnished 1 or 2 bedroom house on yearly lease. 1 adult. Must be south end of town or Rancho Mirage. Box 41, Desert Sun.

HOUSING NEEDED for Bullock employees. Single and double apartments or houses. Contact Miss Lissner, Bullock's, 7th and Hill, Los Angeles.

SIX, 2 or 3 bedroom houses needed by teachers. Reasonable Rental. Sept. to June. P. O. Box 1449.

Wanted to Rent 39

WANTED: 3 or 4 room furnished house or apartment. cooler, cover for car. Middle aged couple. No pets, children, drinking. \$100 month. Oct. 1 to May 1st. James H. Reynolds, 226 Ave G, Redondo Beach.

WANTED — 2 bedroom unfurnished house. Good location. Reasonable rent. Phone 4041.

Rooms for Rent 40

HOTEL ROOMS
SINGLES, DOUBLES. \$5.00
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Apartments for Rent 43

1 BEDROOM, twin beds, living room, bar, kitchen, beautifully furnished. Year lease. Couple only. \$100 month. Desert Hot Springs, 170 Pierson Blvd. Phone 181 after 6 p. m.

NEW 1 bedroom apartments, furnished and unfurnished. Greatly reduced to \$65, \$75, \$85 on yearly lease. Call 7452, 10 to 1 a. m., 6-8 p. m., 1311 Camino Amapola.

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SINGLE APARTMENT completely furnished. Air conditioned. Yearly lease only. 981 Parocela Place. Phone 3772.

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Houses for Rent 46

PALM SPRINGS
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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
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Household Goods 50

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Miscellaneous for Sale 60

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Pets - Poultry - Livestock 65

Brush Fire Listed As Out On Arrival

Village firemen answered a call Wednesday morning at 11:15 a.m. to 1205 Camino del Mirasol where weeds and brush had caught fire. Department listed the incident as "out on arrival."



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KELLOGG Corn Flakes
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13 oz. 17c

HUNT'S RASPBERRY
Preserves, 1 lb. jar. 21c
DIXIE LOU OREGON
Peas, 1 lb can, 2 for 25c
CAMPBELL'S 10 1/2 oz. can
Tomato Soup, 3 for 29c
DROMEDARY 18 oz. can
Grapefruit Juice, 2-25c
DROMEDARY BLENDED
Orange & Grapefruit
Juice, 18 oz can, 2-25c
S&F HAWAIIAN 46-oz. can
Pineapple Juice 45c
VITA PAK CRUSHED CAN
Pineapple, No. 2 25c
ZEE Box of 200
Facial Tissue, 2 for 27c
BATH SIZE
Camay Soap, 2 for 19c
REGULAR SIZE
Camay Soap, 2 for 15c
11 OZ. PKG
Trend Deal, 2 for 26c

MEAT DEPT.

Boneless, Brisket
Corned Beef, 1 lb. 49c
FRESH
Ground Beef, 1 lb 39c
SWIFT'S PREMIUM
Wiener, lb. 49c
LARGE
Bologna, 1 lb 37c

PRODUCE DEPT.

NO. 1
Watermelons, lb. 2 1/2c
Tomatoes, 2 lbs 15c
ITALIAN—YELLOW
SQUASH, 2 lbs 15c

PHONES 9055-7932

Dunkerley, Prince Fly to Colorado For Army Session

Taking off last week for Camp Carson, Colo., William J. Dunkerley, chamber of commerce manager, flew to attend a session of training of the reserve officers mountain troops under the command of the U. S. Army, Dunkerley, a captain, was accompanied by Frank Prince who will also take the same training. Both men were given commendations for their work and an official okch from the board of directors of the chamber for the absence. Prince is a member of the board. Training is scheduled to end Aug. 22.

From Page 1—MORE ABOUT—

This Side . . .

a midst of them . . . interesting listening. . . Seems that a delegate from Bureau county was too officious. . . "Who does she think she is, anyhow? Why, do you know that . . . Oooh, what the lady said. . . The Legion part was quiet, too, until the 40 and 8 arrived. . . They drove their locomotive around the Munroe, State, Adams and Wabash streets block most of the night. . . The bell wasn't so bad but they had equipped it with a siren, too.

THEN THEY ADJOURNED to a room just down the corridor. . . They are harder people than the desert residents. . . They didn't think about singing until 2 a. m. . . by that time they were in the mood. . . The harmony was good until some sentimental Joe swung into "I want a girl, just like the girl, who married poor old dad." . . . He sang it just that way and a woman delegate protested. . . She said it should be "dear old dad" and had plenty of support from the other women. . . The men stuck to "poor old dad" as the right version. . . Never did hear the outcome. . . The management said shush before they got to a decision.

BACK HERE they all seem wild about that "Ghost Riders in the Sky" tune. . . Stan Jones, who wrote it, has made \$200,000 on it, they say. . . It's based on an old legend of the 1860s that held that a cowboy who sinned would some day see a flash of lightning over his left shoulder. . . There in the sky would be a stampede of ghost cows with cowboys riding hell for leather after them. . . One of the ghost cowboys would call out the sinner's name and point to the empty saddle on one of the ghost horses. . . That meant the mortal cowhand's time was up. . . I've never fallen for the number. . . The tune reminds me of "When Johnny Comes Marching Home." . . Give me "The Last Round-Up". . . Now, that's something.

PARDON ME while I straighten out my notes. . . Seems I got the scribbles about the trip and the new grandson all mixed up. . . This is no place to write about strained vegetables, 20 pounds plus at five months and so on. . . Anyway, went to the Railroad Fair first day I got here. . . Great show. . . After spending 45 hours on the FSP Golden State you probably wouldn't think it a treat to walk through various and sundry other trains on display at the Fair all of the next day. . . But I did. . . It was fun. Deposited the avoirdupois on a bench and watched people. . . Like to do that and wonder about each individual, what makes him or her tick. . . What they are worried about, what they do. . . They probably looked at me sitting on the bench and wondered: "Look at that funny old coot. . . Probably a DP who's been reading Esquire and got his fashions mixed."

WENT TO GET MY KEY this afternoon and the clerk handed me a telegram: PACKED A CLEAN SHIRT FOR EVERY DAY STOP USE THEM STOP DON'T BE JUST HALF SAFE STOP LOVE, MRS. G.

HERE you need one a day.



FAIR FRUIT RUFF—Up to her neck in apricots, Janet Saunders extends a smiling invitation to attend the California State Fair at Sacramento from Sept. 1 through Sept. 11. Apricots, as well as scores of other species of fruit, will be displayed in profusion in the Agriculture building where some 40 of the State's 58 counties will exhibit.

Villager Dies In Long Beach

Word was received this week of the recent death of Mrs. Charlotte Leavens, 78, at Long Beach clinic. Moving to Palm Springs four years ago she had retired after an active life as manager of the Virginia Country club at Long Beach since 1914. A native of Moline, Ill., she is said to have no known survivors. Funeral arrangements were handled by Mottell's Mortuary of Long Beach.

Savings Bonds Sales Noted In Riv. Co.

Sales of U. S. Savings bonds of the popular "E" series continued to climb during the month of July despite the conclusion of the big Opportunity Drive promotion. Treasury department officials announced today, with the Riverside county total for the month reaching \$274,149.47.

The sales showed an increase of almost \$2,000,000, or nearly 14 per cent in the 11 counties of Southern California, said J. B. Messick, state director of the treasury's U. S. Savings Bonds division for the area.

The July purchases by the public were \$15,087,920.53, against \$13,261,023.24 for the same month last year. The public was the biggest purchaser, with total southern California sales in all savings bonds categories running \$19,776,644.43. Series "E" and "G" bonds sold \$4,688,723.50.

Messick said the substantial July sales increase was surprising to the treasury after big public purchases during the Opportunity Drive, which went over the top in every southland county and throughout the nation. He attributed the increase to greater public awareness of the investment value U. S. Savings Bonds created by the drive.

Total of all types of bonds in Riverside county since the first of the year is \$2,095,585.72.

Thief Gets \$71, Two New Tires

A burglary was reported locally last week as Central Motors told police that someone had made a forced entrance through the front door last Thursday night, making off with \$71 in cash and two new tires and tubes.



MOZELLE BRITTON DINEHART'S Show Business

HOLLYWOOD . . . JACK DEMPSEY at the Rosarito Beach hotel in Baja, California during a respite from extensive tests at the Scripps Clinic in La Jolla. . . RICHARD LANE, TV announcer on the Wednesday night wrestling matches at the Olympic, goes "straight" as a singing policeman on the screen, having just been cast in the Arthur Dreifuss musical, "There's A Girl in My Heart," for Allied Artists. . . School teacher LILA MARIE MOSER, marries STAN FANSHER of Manhattan today on "Bride and Groom"—Bride met the groom when he was a collegiate wrestling champion.

STEPHEN McNALLY, rising Universal-International star, has started taking lessons from FRANKIE VAN (veteran fighter and the studio's conditioner of players) in the art of pulling punches in fight scenes; seems McNally, who has been cast in one slugging role after another during the past year, has knocked four actors cold with his powerhouse blows because of his poor timing. In "Johnny Belinda" Steve was required to manhandle CHARLES BICKFORD. In "The Lady Gambles" he knocked out PHILIP VAN ZANDT unintentionally, while in his current film, "Sword in the Desert," he was required to slug MARTEN LAMONT, popular English player and CLYDE COOK, Australian actor.

TOMMY WALKER, handsome blond ex-football hero, has been cast as one of KIRK DOUGLAS' fellow handsomen in Warner's "Young Man With A Horn." . . . JOE HERNANDEZ, race caller at Calif. tracks and SAM HAYES, popular Pacific coast newscaster, this week narrated western and eastern racetrack sequences respectively, for "Jiggs and Maggie in Jackpot Jitters." . . . In Warner Bros. murder mystery, "The House Across the Street," you will see gorgeous JANIS PAIGE diving into a barrel of flour, head first!

Pretty HELEN THURSTON, one of Cineland's most famous stunt girls, has fallen down more flights of stairs than practically anybody. She tumbled first for RKO in 1939, and since then has bumped down 53 assorted staircases, including one for Warner Bros. latest Technicolor musical-comedy, "It's A Great Feeling." Her longest fall was down 63 steps, with seven contacts en route. She escaped damage, in fact, except for some bruises and a cracked rib or so, she never has been hurt in a stair stunt. It's all in knowing how!

PAUL DOUGLAS pulled a dilly of a gag on CESAR ROMERO on 20th Century-Fox's "Turned Up Toes" set this week. The two stars were playing a scene during which Romero and his henchmen corner Douglas, and after Cesar slaps Paul around, start to take him for a "ride." Romero naturally faked his punches during rehearsal. Douglas kidded about Cesar not daring to slap him without the aid of a couple of gunmen. Came time for the take, and Director Alexander Hall warned Cesar to slap Paul hard on both sides of his face. Cesar slapped—and out flew three teeth! Not until Douglas grinned, showing all his own molars, did Romero relax and laugh—it seems the set wasn't properly lit yet, and Douglas put Director Hall up to calling the take, so he could have a bit of fun. "You had me scared for a minute," Romero admitted, "although I didn't think I'd hit you hard enough to draw blood, much less teeth."

Orchestra Leader Tells of Season At Crestline

Ben Massie, whose Howdee Dowdee Rhythm Riders is well known locally among the various dancing sets, writes from Crestline, where the band is performing, that with the close of their contract there on Labor Day the group will be back for dances in the desert area for the winter season, starting at the DHS VFW dances Oct. 22.

At the present time they are playing for all types of dances, western, square and ultra-modern except on Wednesday and Friday nights when they play for an old time "melo-drama." They Ain't Done Right by Our Neil.

He further writes that a song he has written, inspired by that mountain section, Valley of Enchantment, has been recorded

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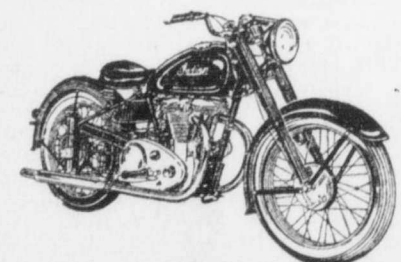
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